

Publisher at Memphis Sues Strikers

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—The Memphis Publishing Co., publisher of the city's two daily newspapers, filed a \$264,000 suit Thursday against the striking Newspaper Guild of Memphis and seven of its officers and members.

The suit, filed in Shelby County Circuit Court, charged conspiracy, inducing breach of contract and mass picketing.

The Guild, affiliated with the American Newspaper Guild, struck The Commercial Appeal and the Memphis Press-Scimitar early last Friday. Both newspapers have continued to publish, although on a limited basis until printers began crossing the picket lines Wednesday on request of their union's officials.

In the suit, the Guild was charged with conspiracy by inducing "a breach of the collective bargaining agreement" between the company and the International Typographical union, which represents the printers. The ITU contract expired last Saturday, one day after the guild strike began.

It also charged the Guild with inducing the ITU members to break their contract by refusing to work, in violation of Tennessee law.

In a third count, the Guild was charged with mass picketing.

Memphis Publishing Co. asked damages of \$53,500 on the conspiracy and mass picketing counts, treble damages of \$160,500 in punitive damages.

The company contended the alleged conspiracy and mass picketing forced it to "curtail advertising and to incur great expense to avoid disrupting of normal distribution of its newspapers through the arranging of alternate distribution."

Mediation with the Guild recessed Wednesday until 10 a.m. Friday to allow the union to bring in Charles Perlik, secretary-treasurer of the parent American Newspaper Guild.

On the table is a union demand for a general increase of \$25 weekly over a two-year period and a minimum weekly wage of \$213 for news room employees and advertising salesmen with five years experience.

Negotiations with the ITU have continued with Fred Beck, federal mediator, and are recessed until 10 a.m. Tuesday.

Lafayette's Flag

Lafayette's tomb in Paris is one of only 18 sites in the world where, by presidential proclamation, it is authorized to fly the Stars and Stripes 24 hours a day in patriotic respect.

GAO Recommends

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and neighborhood boards in the Model Cities program.

Several of the recommendations correspond with President Nixon's action last month in transferring the Job Corps from OEO to the Labor Department and the Head Start program from the antipoverty agency to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Nixon, like GAO, recommended retention of OEO as an agency.

The report says that OEO, with a \$2 billion annual budget, was given the impossible assignment of coordinating the entire federal antipoverty effort, which includes programs ranging from welfare and unemployment benefits to educational supplements and Social Security payments.

Such responsibility, GAO suggests, should be lodged with an antipoverty council working with the President's Urban Affairs Council. Congress authorized such a council in 1964 but President Johnson never appointed one.

One source said of the study: "GAO seems to recognize that OEO had an impossible job but is critical of it nonetheless. Apparently nothing is acceptable to GAO except 100 per cent perfection."

But another source who also has seen the report said he believes GAO fell short of carrying out its orders from Congress, which called for a thorough evaluation of OEO when it authorized the investigation in 1967.

Fulbright Raps Nixon's War Policy

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON 2AP) — Sen. J. W. Fulbright, with other congressional doves not far behind, has come down hard against the Nixon administration's handling of the Vietnam conflict, thus ending seven weeks of grace allowed the President to formulate his war policies.

In an interview, Fulbright broke the silence the war critics had imposed on themselves when Nixon took office to allow the new President time to try his hand where President Johnson had failed—to bring the fighting to a speedy end.

But Fulbright said, as of now, he is "extremely disappointed" in Nixon's handling of the war situation.

The Arkansas Democrat, who heads the powerful Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said that as of the moment he even feels the United States bears "greater responsibility" than the enemy in not de-escalating the fighting.

Following the bombing halt ordered last fall by President Johnson, Fulbright said, "It is my impression that we greatly increased our pacification program but did not take any other steps toward de-escalation."

"Neither side de-escalated," he went on, but "we share the greater responsibility."

And since Nixon succeeded Johnson Jan. 20, the handling of the war "hasn't progressed as I hoped it would," Fulbright said. "I'm not a bit happy about it."

Fulbright said that he has asked his committee staff to prepare a study of the degree to which action by U.S. ground forces might have triggered the current enemy offensive.

He did say President Nixon still has time to reverse what appears to him to be a "re-escalation of the war."

Fulbright didn't make direct mention of it, but President Nixon has been considering the possibility of taking some sort of retaliatory action against North Vietnam because of the recent attacks against South Vietnamese population centers.

Secretary of State Visits With Local Guests



Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a.m. Friday, High 57, Low 33

A FEW OF THE

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lot of interesting people, don't you?"

"Why don't you print more good news in the paper?—such as me getting elected assistant secretary of my lodge last week."

"Why do you see red every time I put the blue pencil to your copy, kid? You write it breathless—I'll make it deathless."

"I ain't saying nothing, understand? And if you quote me as saying 'I said 'no comment,' I'll deny it said it."

"Don't be frightened, children. It's only your father—home at last."

Precipitation Expected for Arkansas

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Precipitation is expected to move into at least the southern portions of Arkansas Saturday.

— Photo Compliments of Kelly Bryant

Recently a group of local Hope man, young folks served as pages for State Rep. Talbot Feild Jr. They also visited with Secretary of State Kelly Bryant, a Phil Cato.

Left to right in the group are Jimmy Armstrong, Toni Burke, Kelly Bryant, Cosy Burke and Phil Cato.

The forecast for the state also calls for increased cloudiness. Temperatures warmed Thursday to 60 at El Dorado and little change is expected through Saturday. Slightly cooler readings are expected Sunday.

Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	High	Low
Albany, snow	37	30
Albuquerque, cloudy	49	34
Atlanta, cloudy	52	29
Bismarck, clear	20	-6
Boise, clear	48	29
Boston, cloudy	40	32
Buffalo, snow	31	27
Chicago, clear	39	18
Cincinnati, clear	42	20
Cleveland, cloudy	34	25
Denver, cloudy	26	1
Des Moines, clear	27	14
Detroit, cloudy	42	23
Fairbanks, clear	15	-1
Fort Worth, cloudy	58	42
Helena, clear	16	-7
Honolulu, clear	81	63
Indianapolis, clear	41	23
Jacksonville, clear	61	45
Juneau, snow	33	27
Kansas City, clear	42	22
Los Angeles, clear	59	45
Louisville, cloudy	44	23
Memphis, cloudy	50	28
Miami, clear	63	51
Milwaukee, snow	40	16
Mpls.-St.P., clear	26	5
New Orleans, cloudy	62	42
New York, cloudy	43	35
Ola, City, snow	50	33
Omaha, clear	26	13
Philadelphia, clear	42	28
Phoenix, clear	63	34
Pittsburgh, cloudy	40	21
Ptld, Me., clear	39	29
Ptld, Ore., clear	50	31
Rapid City, clear	24	2
Richmond, clear	50	20
St. Louis, clear	42	25
Salt Lk. City, clear	38	22
San Diego, cloudy	54	41
San Fran., clear	59	49
Seattle, cloudy	53	36
Tampa, clear	61	50
Washington, clear	51	31
Winnipeg, rain	24	-2

(T—Trace)

President of Ouachita Resigns

ARKADELPHIA, Ark. (AP) — Dr. Ralph Phelps Jr., who has served as president of Ouachita Baptist University longer than any other person except the founder, has resigned effective Aug. 31, it was announced Thursday.

Phelps said he would announce his future plans shortly. He said he had several offers in business and higher education. No reason was given for his resignation.

Phelps, president of the Baptist-supported school since 1953, was named president emeritus by the Board of Trustees.

In a speech Nov. 20 before the Arkansas Baptist State Convention, Phelps hinted he might resign when he said it was probably his last appearance before the convention.

He declined to comment at that time, but said in his speech, "There exists a sort of super board which is the church body as a whole, some of whom are positive in their views but have never actually set foot on the campuses they criticize."

He presented to the convention a few choral and drama groups from Ouachita "to show these Baptist critics what goes on at school, and what they are paying for."

Jeral Hampton of Booneville, chairman of the Ouachita Board of Trustees, indicated Phelps had written Marvin Green, the then chairman of the Ouachita board, last Oct. 15 that he did not plan to serve as president beyond the present contract year.

He had written Hampton to the same effect Jan. 13, but announcement of the resignation was withheld until Thursday, when faculty appointments for 1969-70 were made.

The trustees also announced that they had accepted the resignation of Dr. Henry Lindsey, vice president for academics since 1964, who has taken a teaching position at Mississippi State College for Women.

A grizzly bear can break an elk's back with one blow.

Fatal Shooting Accidental

FORT SMITH, Ark. (AP) — Edmond Reynolds, 54, of Fort Smith was wounded fatally at his home Thursday when a .30-06 rifle being handled by his 14-year-old stepson discharged, police said.

Prosecutor Bill Thompson said the shooting was accidental.

Fulbright With Majority

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., voted with the majority Thursday as the Senate approved the treaty to control the spread of nuclear weapons. The treaty was approved 83-15.

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Calendar of Events

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

TUESDAY, MARCH 18
There will be a bingo party at the Catholic Church Hall, Tuesday, March 18 sponsored by the Catholic Women. The fun will begin at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

LILAC GARDEN CLUB MEETS

Mrs. B.W. Edwards showed beautiful colored slides of the Lilac Garden Club which met Wednesday, March 12 in the home of Mrs. R.L. McCain with Mrs. L.C. Collins, co-hostess. The program was most enjoyable, and together with the arrangements of daffodils in the home, set the mood for Spring. Mrs. Roy Taylor, vice-president, presided over the meeting, and Mrs. Lella Jordan reported on the recent Garden Club Council meeting. The St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in the salad plate which was served with coffee for refreshments.

CIRCLE NO. 3 MEETS

Circle No. 3, W.S.C.S., First United Methodist Church, met Monday, March 10 at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. William Hatley.

The Circle chairman, Mrs. Albert Graves, opened the meeting with prayer. After the business session she gave a review of the recent W.S.C.S. study "New Forms of Missions" and announced that an action committee had been appointed as an outgrowth of this study.

For the program, Mrs. Ralph Smith gave some high lights from the Book of John, a study that will begin in April.

During the social hour, the hostess served snacks with coffee to sixteen members and two guests, Mrs. Arch Wyllie and Mrs. Charles Harrell.

WEDDING VOWS REPEATED

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kaplan of 51 Stephenville Blvd., Red Bank, New Jersey announce the marriage of their daughter Georgia Michele to Lt. Henry M. Rowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moss Rowe of Washington, Arkansas. Mrs. Rowe is an alumna of Middletown Township High School and Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, Kentucky. She is a third grade teacher at St. Mary's School, New Monmouth, New Jersey. Lt. Rowe is a graduate of Hope High School and the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, where he was a member of Engineering Honor Society Tau Beta Pi, the Blue Key Honor Fraternity and president of Alpha Kappa Lambda Fraternity. He is currently stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey.

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Wedding Announced



—Shipley Studio photo

FLORENCE ELIZABETH LEDBETTER

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ledbetter of 755 Ash Street in Prescott, formerly of Blevins, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Florence Elizabeth to Tommy Joe McKee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. McKee of Route 4, Hope.

Elizabeth is a 1967 graduate of Blevins High School. She also attended Southern State College in Magnolia and took a secretarial course at Red River Vocational Technical School. Elizabeth is presently employed by Gibson Products Company in Hope.

Tommy Joe is a 1965 graduate of Hope High School. He is also a member of the Arkansas National Guard. He is presently employed by Young Chevrolet Company in Hope.

The wedding will be an event of Saturday, March 15 at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary of the First Christian Church in Prescott. The pastor of the church, Rev. Guy D. Holt, will perform the ceremony.

The bride elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. J.C. Ledbetter of Route 5, Prescott. The groom-elect is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. V.M. McKee and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons, all of Route 4, Hope.

No cards will be sent. All friends and relatives are invited.

entertainment series and also reshuffle the time periods of many others. The network estimates that about one-third of its hot weather offerings will consist of new material—new series or old series with fresh shows.

Included in the plan are Dick Cavett's three-a-week series in prime time; A weekly variety hour starring Johnny Cash, and another with John Davidson. ABC's assortment of evening game and audience participation shows will continue with new programs—customary in those categories—and so will "This is Tom Jones" and "The King Sisters," both late-season starters.

Meanwhile, "Peyton Place," after all those agonizing years, will go into limbo with its final show in early June. Repeats of "The Guns of Will Sonnett" will occupy its old time slot until September, when it, too, goes to TV's Boot Hill.

Cavett's show—from 10 to 11 p.m. EST on Mondays, Tuesday and Friday—will replace "The Big Valley," "That's Life" and "Judd for the Defense." The first two have been canceled. "Judd," which returns next season, moves to an earlier time period on Friday nights.

SCHEDULE FOR (from page one)

9:15 L.C. Kennedy farm
9:30 Shover Springs near store
9:45 Beaver's Store on Ross-ton Road
10:00 Rocky Mound near Church

THURSDAY, MARCH 20
8:00 a.m. — Experiment Station
8:20 Lester Brown Store Hwy. 29

8:40 Hwy. 29 at Intersection of DeAnn road.
8:50 DeAnn at Samuel's Store
9:10 Jewel Burke's Store
9:30 Loe Store on Hwy. 24, east of Blevins

FRIDAY, MARCH 21
8:00 a.m. — H.E. Sutton Store on Hwy. 29 N. of Hope

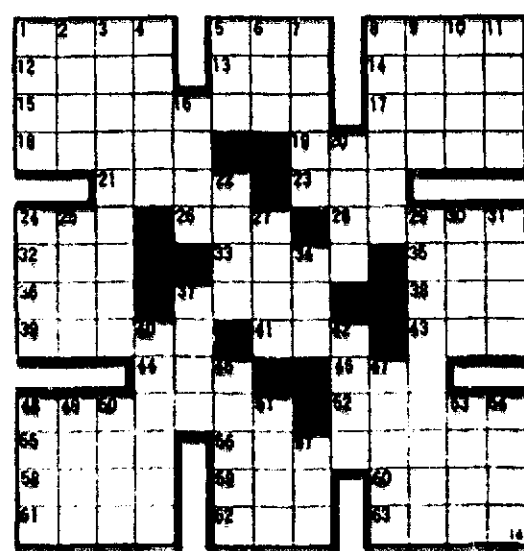
8:20 Blevins
8:30 Haugland's Store at Friendship
8:45 McCaskill near Post Office

9:05 Bingen, RCI Center
9:30 Goodlett's Store
9:45 Ozan
10:00 Washington
10:15 Oakhaven

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ACROSS
1 "Idylls of the West"
5 "Sweet and low" of the western sea
8 "— of Shalott"
12 Bellow
13 Mouths
14 Away from windward
15 Long-snouted animal
17 Incarnation of Vishnu
18 Small Hebrew weight
19 "The cracked from side to side"
21 Siouan
23 Dallas school (ab.)
24 Wholly
26 Vegetable
28 Fruit
32 Honolulu garland
33 Wander
35 Teleost fish
36 Obtain
37 Clothed
38 Salt (chem.)
39 Betel palm
41 Small child
43 Health resort
44 Circle part
46 Kimono sash
48 Sinus
52 Son of Zebedee (Bib.)
55 Mine entrance
56 "In —"
58 Submerge
59 Greek letter
60 Essential being



WIN AT BRIDGE

Only Top Play Makes Contract

By Oswald & James Jacoby

NORTH		14	
♠ 64			
♥ A7			
♦ KQ85			
♣ A8732			
WEST (D)		EAST	
♠ AQ92		♥ J10753	
♥ KQ9854		♥ J1063	
♦ 7		♦ 6	
♣ 94		♣ QJ6	
SOUTH			
♠ K8			
♥ 2			
♦ AJ109432			
♣ K105			
Neither vulnerable			
West	North	East	South
1♥	Pass	2♥	3♣
4♥	5♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			
Opening lead—♥K			

Today's hand is also taken from "Winning Declarer Play." It is an example of an avoid a once play but Dorothy Hayden gives it a different treatment by showing how it would be played by players with different degrees of knowledge in bridge.

There are 10 sure tricks and the 11th will develop easily if East holds the ace of spades.

A beginner is likely to run off six of his trumps, cash the king and ace of clubs and eventually lead a spade toward his king. Down one!

An intermediate player will recognize the chance of setting up clubs and will play out three rounds of clubs. If West holds the long club everything will be fine but East wins it and leads a spade. Down one!

An advanced player will make a better effort. He will lead a club from dummy with the intention of finessing his 10. An alert East will spoil this plan by rising with the jack of clubs. He will get in with a club eventually and lead that spade. Still down one!

The expert will make his contract. He will simply let West hold the first heart trick by playing low from dummy. If hearts are continued the expert will wind up with all the rest of the tricks. He will discard a club on the ace of hearts, cash the top clubs, ruff a club and discard both his spades on dummy's last two clubs.

Somewhat we think that most West players would go on—five hearts and save at the cost of not more than 100 points, or else come out with a profit if North and South went on to six diamonds.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

CARD SENSE

Q—The bidding has been:
West North East South
Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠
Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥
Pass 4♥ Pass 4♥
Pass 5♥ Pass ?

You, South, hold:
♠ A K 6 5 ♥ 3 2 ♦ 5 ♣ A K 10 9 6 4

What do you do now?
A—Bid six spades. Your partner appears to be asking if you can take care of the second lead of diamonds.

TODAY'S QUESTION
Instead of bidding three spades your partner has jumped to four spades over your one spade. What do you do now?
Answer Tomorrow

Oldest cultivated tree native to America is the pecan tree.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS
11 Heavy blow
62 Conducted
83 Meat and vegetable dish
DOWN
1 Military rifle (coll.)
2 Bulwer-Lytton heroine
3 Zeolite silicate
4 Mighty
5 Land parcel
6 Mineral rock
7 Heats
8 Flog (coll.)
9 Winged
10 Populace (comb. form.)
11 12 months
16 Nautical unit
20 Moslem priest

22 Nobleman
24 Seaweed
25 Malign glance
27 Castle trench
29 Gloomy one
30 Jump
31 Girl's name
34 Str
37 Two-wheeled vehicle
40 Swiveled wheels, as on

a chair leg

42 Japanese general

45 Desert beast

47 Uncover

48 Pedestal part

49 Norse god

50 Donate

51 Plexus (anat.)

53 Alleviate

54 Merganser

57 Crazy



HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bettel

MY READERS ANSWER THE MAIL

Dear Helen: Yes, it works both ways. That "Frustrated Husband" whose wife "loves for pay," may be the type who has never outgrown bachelor days when he had to pay for love.

Consider my husband. He gives me a weekly allowance for food only. Any additional requests for clothing, cosmetics, education, recreation, etc. when granted, must be repaid with additional bedroom usage or other assaults or insults. The consistency of his reaction is unmistakable—this for that. If I won't play along, he gets his money's worth by belittling me, making me feel like a frigid worm.

The battle rages at our house, and I hang on because we have two children to raise. Little does my husband realize, as he beats me down, that the minute our daughters are grown and gone, I'll be gone on the next bus out of town. (I can save bus fare out of my food allowance!)

Wish me luck! — FRUSTRATED WIFE, NEE WORM
Dear Wife: I wish you better sense, worm.

A woman who hangs on to a miserable marriage "for the sake of her children" may mess up THEIR lives as well as her own.

If marriage counseling can't untangle your husband and deice you, then you'd better buy that bus ticket now.

But insist on professional help first! — H.

Dear Helen: This is to "Doubtful Thomas" who said fathers didn't tan their daughters' bottoms in his day. He should speak for himself, but not for the rest of us!

My father as did most fathers of his day, used a hazel switch on my bare skin—for the same transgressions he let the boys get away with. You see, he wanted us to be "ladies," but felt boys would be boys.

There wasn't a day between the time I learned to walk and

the day I reached eighth grade that I didn't get at least one whipping. One-tenth of them through, but this was the rule of the times. Our parents THOUGHT they were doing right.

However, spankings stopped before I was 12. My mother used to say, "If you haven't taught your children respect for you and your judgment by age 13, you'd better give up for you won't do anything but build resentment after that."

SOME of today's teenagers need a good whacking, but most of their actions can be traced to lack of wise discipline in their early years. — MRS. B.N.

Dear Mrs. N: The emphasis is on "WISE." Even in this permissive age, too many parents substitute heavy-handed discipline for real understanding because it's easier to boss than listen. — H.

Dear Helen: How dare you champion sex education in schools? It's all part of a giant

Would Continue Commission

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—A resolution calling for the continued operation of the Commission on Coordination of Higher Educational Finance was adopted Wednesday by the Arkansas Association of State Colleges and University presidents.

The commission has recommended that the legislature abolish it because a bill broadening its powers has been beaten in the Arkansas House.

Communist conspiracy! Now they're showing films on drugs and liquor. This only incites kids to try them. Why, they're even giving out information on venereal diseases! How depraved can a nation get? — B.J.

Dear B: You can't solve problems by pretending they don't exist. Wise sex education—and I'm convinced most school programs are as well planned as they are unsensational—is long overdue. When young people know the facts, they are much more able to make mature decisions, and this goes for drugs, liquor, tobacco, as well as sex. It's the secret "unknown" which fascinates. — H.

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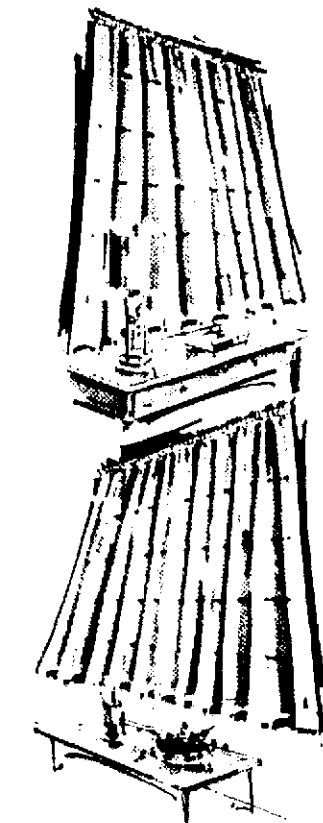
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Hope Star SPORTS

New Ball Is Tested But Result Same

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
Associated Press Sports Writer

The baseball had more bounce to the ounce but the outcome was pretty much old hat to the New York Mets.

In a test to help give major league baseball some more offense, a ball with 10 per cent more resiliency was used in Thursday's exhibition game between the Mets and Detroit.

It was an old-fashioned 1968 pitchers' battle for three innings. Then, the Tigers' Dick McAuliffe, Norm Cash and Gates Brown bounced three balls into orbit in a six-run fourth inning and the world champions made off with a 7-4 win.

"That ball sure got livelier in the fourth inning," grinned Don Cardwell, victim of the assault.

"The dugouts agree that the ball is livelier," reported Commissioner Bowie Kuhn, who visited both benches during the game. "The ball has a higher seam and appears to come to be slightly smaller, although it measures to specifications."

"It will have to be tested more extensively than two games," he continued, noting that it will be used again in today's exhibition between San Francisco and California at Phoenix, Ariz. "We might try it this summer in the rookie leagues," he added.

Denny McLain, Detroit's 31-game winner and perennial go-pur ball king, hurled four scoreless innings with the bouncy ball.

"I wish they'd leave the game alone," he said. "They're making it too complicated." But he said it was "highly appropriate" that he was the first pitcher to throw it. "Now," he laughed, "they'll find out how far it can travel."

The holdout, who lost a member when first baseman Willie McCovey signed a two-year contract with the Giants for an estimated \$85,000, Manager Clyde King said he would put his big slugger into the line-up at once. "You know what it looks like," King chortled. "It looks like I'm sitting before a great big piece of strawberry shortcake and can't wait to tear into it."

The most prominent remaining holdouts are San Francisco's Juan Marichal, Minnesota's Kim Kaat and Al Downing of the New York Yankees.

Willie Mays put the whipped cream on King's strawberry shortcake Thursday with a three-run double that powered the Giants to a 4-1 win over San Diego.

The expansion Seattle Pilots split their squad and came away with two victories. One group edged Oakland 3-2 on Lou Piniella's two-run double and Mike Hegan's steal of home. The other contingent nipped California 7-6 with a three-run eighth-inning rally.

Larry Jaster hurled six innings of one-hit ball—Doug Rader's single in the second—and Bob Bailey and John Bateman homered in Montreal's 8-2 conquest of Houston.

Newly acquired Vada Pinson homered and tripled as St. Louis topped Philadelphia 5-3. Rookie outfielder Carlos May battled the Chicago White Sox to a 4-1 triumph over Atlanta with three runs batted in.

Washington made it seven straight losses for winless Manager Ted Williams, bowing 3-2 to Baltimore on Don Buford's homer. Bill Sudakis of Los Angeles and Chuck Manuel of Minnesota singled home runs in the 10th innings of their respective games as the Dodgers beat Boston 6-5 and the Twins downed Cincinnati 3-2.

Tony Horton knocked in three runs as Cleveland walloped the Chicago Cubs 7-0 and Luis Alcaraz drove in three runs with

Broncos Sign Two Players

DENVER (AP) — Free agents Bob Jackson and Bob Rohde, both backs, have been signed by the Denver Broncos of the American Football League. Jackson played college football at New Mexico State and Rohde at Wisconsin State.

Lead Shared by Four in Monsanto

By SHEILA MORAN
Associated Press Sports Writer

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — For U.S. Open champion Lee Trevino, happiness is money. For rookie Larry Hinson, who shares a one-stroke lead with Trevino, Tommy Aaron and Bruce Crampton going into today's second round of the \$100,000 Monsanto Open, happiness is making the cut.

For perennial runner-up Aaron, happiness has to be winning a tournament after nine years on the tour.

For Australia's Crampton, it's his young son Jay—and the chance of winning his first regular PGA tournament since the 1965 Indianapolis 500 Festival.

The four players, as different as sun and rain, all fired 67s Thursday over the wind-swept par 71 Pensacola Country Club course to lead the field of 150 seeking the \$20,000 first prize at this third stop on the rich Florida circuit.

Trevino's 33-34 came with five birdies, one bogey and some "awfully good putting."

"Happiness is money," said the former shoe shine boy who won more than \$132,000 on the tour last year and added \$20,000 more last month when he won at Tucson.

But for Hinson, a quiet 24-year-old blond from Douglas, Ga., success is making the 36-hole cut so he doesn't have to play in a qualifying round for the next tournament.

Aaron skipped the customary news conferences for leaders Thursday, but his comments already are well recorded. "I've heard it's nice to win a tournament," he says. "I'd like to know how it feels."

Aaron, 32, thinks about winning all the way to the bank, where he's checked in more than \$280,000 in nine years on the tour.

Crampton bounced his 18-month-old son on his knee as he described the bizarre round which included one eagle, six birdies and four pars.

The 33-year-old Australian, who now lives in Dallas, said, "It was pretty exciting while it lasted."

Top Sprinters to Clash at Aqueduct

Pappa Steve and Tumiga, two of the fastest sprinters in training, are expected to clash in the 60th running of the Paumonok Handicap at Aqueduct Saturday.

A crowd of more than 50,000 is looked for on this first Saturday of the long New York thoroughbred racing season. The six-furlong \$25,000-added Paumonok is one of the highlights on the national program.

Elsewhere there is the \$50,000 San Felipe Handicap at Santa Anita, the \$27,500 Chaldean Stakes at Pimlico, the \$25,000 Canadian Turf Handicap at Gulfstream, the \$50,000 New Orleans Handicap at the Fair Grounds, the \$20,000 Albany Handicap at Golden Gate Fields, the \$15,000 Razorback Handicap at Oaklawn Park and the \$7,500 Roger Williams Handicap at Lincoln Downs.

as many singles in Kansas City's 7-1 triumph over the Yankees.

Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

	A.M.		P.M.
	Minor-Major		Minor-Major
Mar. 14 Friday	1:55 8:05	2:15 8:35	
Mar. 15 Saturday	2:50 8:55	3:05 9:20	
Mar. 16 Sunday	3:35 9:45	3:55 10:05	
Mar. 17 Monday	4:20 10:25	5:05 10:50	

UCLA Wins But Has a New Worry

By TED MEIER
Associated Press Sports Writer

UCLA beat New Mexico State, but now Johnny Wooden, coach of the nation's top-ranked college basketball team, has a new worry.

All-American Lew Alcindor, UCLA's agile 7-foot-1½ giant, twisted his right ankle after scoring 16 points in leading the Bruins over the Aggies 53-38 in the West Regional of the NCAA championship tournament at Los Angeles Thursday night.

A UCLA spokesman said the injury was not serious, but even a slightly below par Alcindor could jeopardize the Bruins' chances when they play the third-ranked Santa Clara Broncos in the West Regional final Saturday afternoon.

"It will be at least late Friday afternoon before we have any definite word as to his exact shape," Wooden said.

Santa Clara blew an 18-point lead against Weber State, but pulled out a 63-59 overtime victory over the Big Sky Conference champs. Weber almost pulled the upset of the night, but Dave Sackolwitz missed two free throws with six seconds left in regulation time and the score tied 55-55.

"Our sophomores were just too excited," said Phil Johnson, Weber State coach.

Duquesne similarly almost pulled off a stunner against North Carolina before losing 79-78 to the fourth-ranked Tar Heels in the East Regional at College Park, Md.

North Carolina, which at one time led by 14 points at 67-53, won on two field goals by soph Lee Demon on passes from Charlie Scott in the final 28 seconds.

"Time just ran out on us," said a dejected Red Manning, the Duquesne coach.

Marquette and Colorado State U. did register upsets. Marquette whipped seventh-ranked Kentucky 81-74 in the Midwest Regional at Madison, Wis., and Colorado State knocked off favored Colorado 64-56 in the Midwest Regional at Manhattan, Kan., despite 32 points by Colorado's soph, Cliff Meely.

The boys were sky high for this one, said a happy Al McGuire, the Marquette coach, after Kentucky's defeat.

Mike Maloy's 35 points paced fifth-ranked Davidson over the eighth-ranked St. John's Redmen 79-69. Rick Mount's 32 points led sixth-ranked Purdue in a 91-71 rout of Miami of Ohio and Willie McCarter's 24 points sparked Drake over Texas A&M 81-63 in the other NCAA regional games.

The results set up these national quarter-final matches Saturday afternoon. Time is Eastern Standard.

At College Park, Md., 2:15 p.m., North Carolina, 26-3, vs. Davidson, 27-2.

At Madison, Wis., 4:05 p.m., Purdue, 21-4, vs. Marquette, 24-4.

At Manhattan, Kan., 4:15 p.m., Drake, 24-4, vs. Colorado State U., 17-6.

At Los Angeles, 6:05 p.m., UCLA, 26-1, vs. Santa Clara, 27-1.

There was activity in other postseason tournaments.

Temple routed Florida 82-66 and St. Peters of New Jersey upset Tulsa 75-71 in the opening of the NIT at New York.

Kentucky Wesleyan, the defending champion, edged American International 83-82 in overtime and Southwest Missouri upset two-seeded Ashland of Ohio 58-48 in the semifinals of the NCAA College Division tournament at Evansville, Ind.

In the quarter-finals of the other small college tourney, the NAIA at Kansas City, Eastern New Mexico beat High Point 77-73. Central W. a s h i n g t o n downed Henderson 68-64. Elizabeth City edged Washburn 90-88 and Maryland State conquered Monmouth, N.J., 99-94.

Maryland to Announce a New Coach

COLLEGE PARK, Md. (AP) — The University of Maryland holds a news conference today to name a successor to Bob Ward, who resigned under pressure as head football coach of the Terps.

There seemed little doubt that Roy Lester, a highly successful high school coach in nearby Rockville, Md., would be tapped by Jim Kehoe, Maryland's athletic director-designate, for the post.

Lester, 45, was reported ready to accept a multi-year contract to become Maryland's fourth football coach in five years.

Basketball

College Basketball
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Tournaments
NCAA Regionals
University Division
Eastern Regionals
Semifinals

Davidson 79, St. John's, N.Y., 69

No. Caro. 79, Duquesne 78

Midwest Regionals
Semifinals

Marquette 81, Kentucky 74
Purdue 91, Miami, Ohio, 71

Midwest Regionals
Semifinals

Drake 81, Texas A&M 63
Colo. St. U. 64, Colorado 56

West Regionals

Santa Clara 63, Weber St. 59, overtime

UCLA 53, New Mexico St. 38

National Invitational
First Round

Temple 82, Florida 66
St. Peter's, N.J. 75, Tulsa 71

NAIA Championships
Quarter-Finals

Maryland St. 99, Monmouth, N.J. 94

Elizabeth City, N.C. 90, Washburn, Kan. 88

Cent. Wash. 68, Henderson St. 64

E. New Mex. 77, High Point 73

NCAA College Division
Semifinals

Ky. Wesleyan 83, Amer. Int'l. 82, OT

SW Mo. 58, Ashland, Ohio, 48

Pro Basketball
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NBA

Thursday's Results

Philadelphia 113, Chicago 106
Cincinnati 120, Boston 110

Seattle 141, Milwaukee 118
San Diego 120, Detroit 105

Only games scheduled

ABA

Thursday's Results

Indiana 123, New York 87
Miami 124, Dallas, 121, OT

Houston 126, Kentucky 110
Los Angeles 142, Denver 119

Only games scheduled

Houston Has Broken Long Losing Streak

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Houston broke an eight-game losing streak and in the process knocked Kentucky out of first place in the Eastern Division of the American Basketball Association.

The Mavericks, playing at home, overcame a 12-point halftime deficit to whip the Colonels 126-110 Thursday night. That tumbled the Colonels into second place in the East behind the Indiana Pacers who walloped the New York Nets 125-87 at Indianapolis.

Stew Johnson threw in 37 points to pace Houston with teammates Bob Verga and Keith Swaggerty adding 29 and 28, respectively. Louie Dampier got 27 for Kentucky.

Indiana pulled away from a 42-42 halftime tie behind 25 points by Freddie Lewis and 24 by Roger Brown to down the Nets. Willie Somerset was high for New York with 19.

Don Freeman's 35 points, including eight in an overtime period, sparked Miami to a 124-121 victory over Dallas on a neutral court in St. Louis. Dallas led by 19 points at one time in the first half, but Miami rallied to tie the regulation game at 113-113 on two free throws by Ron Boone with 22 seconds left. Cincy Powell was high for Dallas with 24.

Los Angeles scored a 142-119 home court victory over Denver in the other ABA game scheduled.

George Lehmann's 27 points in the third period sparked Los Angeles to its third straight triumph. Lehmann got 35 overall for the Stars. Larry Jones topped Denver with 31.

In the National Basketball Association, Philadelphia beat Chicago 113-106, Cincinnati downed Boston 120-110, Seattle crushed Milwaukee 141-118 and San Diego tripped Detroit 120-105.

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Wilson Just Misses His Grid Record

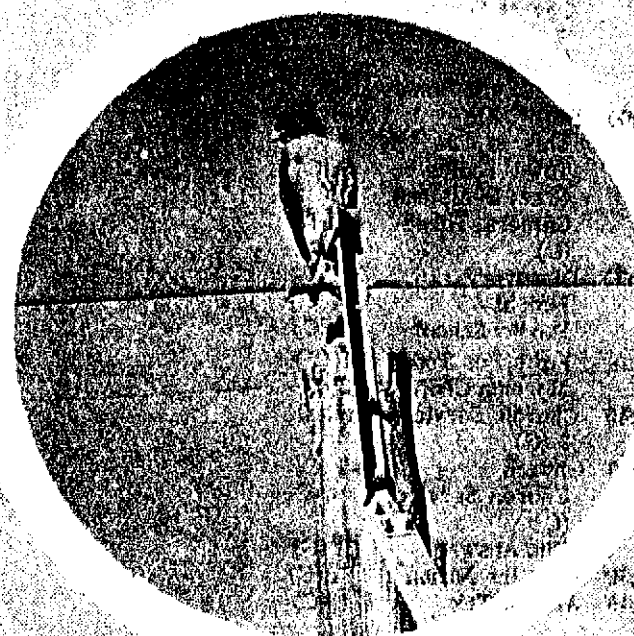
NEW YORK (AP) — Jerrel Wilson of Kansas City missed his American Football League record by three tenths of a yard but still easily led all punters in the AFL last season, final statistics showed today.

Wilson averaged 45.1 yards a punt, just short of the record 45.4 he set in 1965.

Bill Van Heusen of Denver and New York's Curley Johnson tied for second with averages of 43.8.

Bob Searpito of Boston, the 1967 leader when he was with

Red-tailed Hawk



The Red-tail has a slow circling flight over its favorite hunting area. He is often seen perched on a tree or pole look-out where it watches for rodents, especially mice or rats.

It is well equipped with long curved talons and strong hooked beak for taking its prey. Predation is a normal process of Nature.

NBA Left in Scramble by Two Teams

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Eggs flew in Cincinnati Thursday night, but it was the games in Chicago and San Diego that left the National Basketball Association races scrambled.

In Chicago, Philadelphia beat the Bulls 113-106 and boosted its second-place margin in the Eastern Division to 1½ games over idle New York. The setback also put a crimp in Chicago's playoff hopes when San Diego stopped Detroit 120-105 and sneaked past the Bulls into fourth place in the West by 11 percentage points.

Cincinnati, egged on by its fans, got by Boston 120-110 and Seattle swamped Milwaukee 141-118 in a game between also-rans.

In the ABA, Miami nudged Dallas 124-121 in overtime, Indiana mauled New York 125-87, Houston whipped Kentucky 126-110 and Los Angeles blasted Denver 142-119.

Philadelphia blew most of a 13-point lead but pulled away from Chicago again in the final 2½ minutes. The 76ers led by a slim point with 2:20 left when Billy Cunningham, who scored 28 points, picked off a Chicago pass for an easy layup. Jerry Sloan paced the Bulls with 21.

Don Kojis with 31 points and John Bock with 24 led San Diego past Detroit. The Rockets opened an early lead and steadily pulled away. Happy Hairston scored 22 for the Pistons.

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Baseball

Exhibition Baseball
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Thursday's Results

Chicago, A, 4, Atlanta 1

Detroit 7, New York, N, 4

Kan. City 7, New York, A, 1

Los Angeles 6, Boston 5

Montreal 8, Houston 2

St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 3

Minnesota 3, Cincinnati 2

Baltimore 3, Washington 2

San Francisco 4, San Diego 1

Cleveland 7, Chicago, N, 0

Seattle 3, Oakland 2

B-Seattle 7, California 6

Saturday's Games

Atlanta vs. Washington at Pompano Beach, Fla.

Cincinnati vs. St. Louis at Tampa, Fla.

Houston vs. Minnesota at Co-coa, Fla.

New York, N, vs. Kansas City at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Philadelphia vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla.

Los Angeles vs. Chicago, A, at Nassau-Bahamas

Chicago, N, vs. San Diego at Scottsdale, Ariz.

San Francisco vs. California at Phoenix, Ariz.

Baltimore vs. Detroit at Miami, Fla., night

Boston vs. New York, A, at Winter Haven, Fla.

Cleveland vs. Oakland at Tucson, Ariz.

Seattle vs. Arizona State at Tempe, Ariz.

Sunday's Games

Atlanta vs. Washington at West Palm Beach, Fla.

Cincinnati vs. Baltimore at Miami, Fla.

Houston vs. Minnesota at Orlando, Fla.

Montreal vs. New York, N, at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Philadelphia vs. Pittsburgh at Clearwater, Fla.

St. Louis vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla.

Los Angeles vs. Chicago, A, at Nassau-Bahamas

Chicago, N, vs. San Francisco at Phoenix, Ariz.

San Diego vs. Arizona West-ern College at Yuma, Ariz.

California vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz.

Detroit vs. New York, A, at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Seattle vs. Oakland at Tempe, Ariz.

Astonished at Few Grid Injuries

NEW YORK (AP) — A prominent psychiatrist says he is astonished that there aren't more injuries in professional football.

"The name of the game, in psychological terms, is to kill your opponent," Dr. Chester M. Pierce, professor of psychiatry at the University of Oklahoma, told a symposium in St. Louis.

"When expert football players with maximum experience as performers and magnificent all-around physical equipment use their keen minds to dedicate themselves intensively to contest, the wonder is that on each play there is not serious injury."

Pierce's comments at a workshop on football injuries held by the Division of Medical Sciences of the National Research Council in cooperation with the National Football League, were carried today in the latest issue of the Medical Tribune.

Dr. Pierce said he believes many professional football injuries result from fatigue caused by emotional stress. This fatigue may be caused from lack of sleep.

If a football player starts worrying about whether his job is in jeopardy, the psychiatrist said, "the emotional anguish interferes with his sleep."

"Soon both the quantity and quality of his sleep is very different from what it should be and his biological rhythm is put out of kilter."

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Television Logs

Friday		
Night		
6:00	What's New	2
	Truth or Consequences	3 (C)
	News, Weather, Sports	4-6-7-11-12 (C)
6:30	Bridge	2
	Tom Jones	3-7 (C)
	High Chaparral	4-6 (C)
	Wild Wild West	11-12 (C)
7:00	Economics	2
7:30	Playing the Guitar	2
	Generation Gap	3-7 (C)
	Name of the Game	4-6 (C)
	Gomer Pyle, USMC	11-12 (C)
8:00	Japanese Painting	2
	Make A Deal	3-7 (C)
	Movie	11 (C)
	"Esther and the King"	12 (C)
	"Harum Scarum"	12 (C)
8:30	To Be Announced	2
	Guns of Will Sonnett	3-7 (C)
9:00	Judd	3-7 (C)
	Star Trek	4-6 (C)
10:00	News, Weather, Sports	3-4-6-7-11-12 (C)
10:30	Movie	3
	"Mr. Lucky"	7 (C)
	Johnny Carson	4-6 (C)
	Movie	7 (C)
	"Last of the Fast Guns"	11 (C)
	"The High and the Mighty"	11 (C)
10:40	Paul Harvey	12 (C)
10:45	Movie	12
12:00	"A Ticket to Tomahawk"	3 (C)
	Joey Bishop	3 (C)
	Evening Devotional	6 (C)
12:15	Movie	7
	"Nightmare"	11
1:10	Movie	11
	"Ring of Fear"	11
Saturday		
Morning		
6:00	Sunrise Semester	11 (C)
6:30	Casper	3
	Farm Roundup	11 (C)
	Across the Fence	12 (C)
7:00	Movie	3
	"Pirate Ship"	10:15
	Go-Go-Gophers	11-12 (C)
7:10	Morning Devotional	8 (C)
7:15	Agriculture Report	6 (C)
7:30	Agriculture U.S.A.	4
	Popeye	6 (C)
	Across the fence	7 (C)
	Bugs Bunny Road Runner	11-12 (C)
8:00	Super 6	4-6 (C)
	Casper	7 (C)
8:30	Gulliver	3-7 (C)
	Top Cat	4-6 (C)
	Wacky Races	11-12 (C)
9:00	Spider-Man	3-7 (C)
	Flintstones	4-6 (C)
	Deputy Dawg	11 (C)
	Archie	12 (C)
9:30	Fantastic Voyage	3-7 (C)
	NBC Children's Theatre	4-6 (C)
	Batman Superman	11-12 (C)
10:00	Journey to the Center of the Earth	3-7 (C)
10:30	Fantastic Four	3-7 (C)
	Underdog	4-6 (C)
	Hercule Poirot	11-12 (C)
11:00	George of the Jungle	3-7 (C)
	Storybook Squares	4-6 (C)
	Shazzan	11-12 (C)
11:30	American Bandstand	3-7 (C)
	Movie	4
	"Half a Hero"	6 (C)
	Untamed World	6 (C)
	Jonny Quest	11-12 (C)
Afternoon		
12:00	Stan Hitchcock	6 (C)
	Moby Dick-Mighty	11-12 (C)
12:15	Changing Times	3 (C)
12:30	Happening	3-7 (C)

	Bishop Sheen	7 (C)
	Lone Ranger	11 (C)
	Hallelujah Train	12
	(C)	
9:30	King Kong	3 (C)
	America Sings	6 (C)
	House Hunting	7 (C)
	Church Service	11 (C)
	St. Paul's Methodist Church	
	Farm and Home	12 (C)
10:00	Bullwinkle	3 (C)
	This Is The Life	4 (C)
	Town Topics	6 (C)
	Great Decisions	7 (C)
	Camera Three	11-12
	(C)	
10:30	Discovery	3-7 (C)
	Insight	4 (C)
	Sunday School	6 (C)
	Faith For Today	11 (C)
	Mormon Choir	12 (C)
10:45	Church Service—Baptist	6 (C)
11:00	Church	3-7 (C)
	Church Service	4-12
	(C)	
	The Answer	11 (C)
11:30	Face the Nation	11 (C)
11:45	Ark-La-Tex	6 (C)
Afternoon		
12:00	Directions	3 (C)
	Meet the Press	4-6 (C)

Sunday		
Morning		
6:45	Christopher Program	12
6:55	Morning Devotional	6
7:00	Agriculture	3 (C)
	Hunting and Fishing	6
	Sunrise Semester	11 (C)
	Bob and His Buddies	12 (C)
7:30	Allen Revival Hour	3
	Spiritual Hour	6 (C)
	America Sings	7 (C)
	Archie	11 (C)
8:00	Children's Gospel	3 (C)
	Herald of Truth	6 (C)
	King Kong	7 (C)
	Tom and Jerry	11-12 (C)
8:30	Beatles	3-7 (C)
	Gospel Singing Jubilee	6 (C)
	Aquaman	11-12 (C)
9:00	Linus the Lionhearted	3 (C)
	Cathedral of Tomorrow	4 (C)
Monday		
Morning		
6:25	Morning Devotional	6
6:30	Economics	3
	Texarkana College	6
6:45	Economics	11
	R.F.D.	4 (C)
	RFD "g"	6 (C)
6:55	Your Pastor	12 (C)
7:00	Today	4-6 (C)
	Bogo	3 (C)
	News	11 (C)
	Paul Harvey	12 (C)
7:05	News	11-12
7:30	Bogo's Big Top	7 (C)
	Arkansas A.M.	11 (C)
7:55	News	12 (C)
8:00	Captain Kangaroo	11-12
	Movie	7
9:30	This Morning	7 (C)
9:00	Movie	3
	"Map in the Dark"	4-6
	Snap Judgment	12 (C)
	Debbie Drake	12 (C)
	Lucille Ball	11 (C)
9:45	News	4 (C)
	News	6 (C)
9:30	Concentration	4-6 (C)
	Movie	7
	"One Way Street"	11-12 (C)
	Beverly Hillsbillies	11-12 (C)
10:00	Personality	4-6 (C)
	Andy Griffith	11-12 (C)

Girl Scouts Visit Radio Station KXAR



Nancy Stringfellow, brownie troop No. 63, Donna Petre Junior troop No. 311, Mr. Jones, and Patsy Burch, Cadette troop No. 75.

NLR School Integration Plan Okayed

NORTH LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The North Little Rock School Board approved a desegregation plan Thursday night that would divide Negro students between two high schools.

The new plan would leave in effect the present freedom-of-choice plan for grades one through six. Pupils in grades seven through nine would be assigned to junior high schools on a zone basis, but Ridgeway Junior High would remain all-white.

Attendance zones would be set for grades 10 through 12 so, generally, all students in the eastern part of the city would

be assigned to the new Northeast High School. Students in the western part of the district would attend North Little Rock High School.

The board's new plan will be presented to U.S. District Court Judge J. Smith Henley Monday. The plan would take effect in September if the court approves it.

A suit had been filed against the board to replace the freedom-of-choice plan.

LEGAL NOTICE

WARNING ORDER

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY, ARKANSAS

FIRST DIVISION

J.W. STEWART, PLAINTIFF VS. NO. 9460 JANIE BREWER STEWART, DEFENDANT.

Defendant, Janie Brewer Stewart is hereby warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer complaint of plaintiff herein.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this 12th day of March, 1969.

JIM COLE
Clerk of Hempstead Chancery Court
Chambers & Chambers
P.O. Box 157
Magnolia, Arkansas
Attorneys for Plaintiff
Talbot Field, Jr. a regular practicing attorney of this bar is hereby appointed for the said Non-resident defendant.

JIM COLE
Clerk

March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 1969

Sirhan Talked Amiably With Police

By HARRY F. ROSENTHAL
Associated Press Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — They talked about everything that morning except Robert F. Kennedy whose life was ebbing. While the nation reeled with the news that another Kennedy had been shot, his assassin bantered amiably with police.

But he wouldn't give his name. He seemed to delight in being called John Doe, Joe Incommunicado, Jesse Incommunicado.

Not until hours later did police learn that the tall, olive-skinned youth in their custody was Sirhan Bishara Sirhan, 24, a Jordanian Arab.

Tape recordings of Sirhan's conversations in police interrogation rooms during the hours immediately after the death gun was wrested from his hand were played Thursday for the jury trying him for murder.

How was he being treated, Sirhan was asked at one point. "Fine," he said. "I was lavished with your company, sir. . . I would say I was the most merrily entertained of anyone in this whole building."

"You're sort of the star of the show," said Sgt. William C. Jordan, now lieutenant, the watch commander.

"Better take acting, huh?" Sirhan said.

The jury will hear more tapes Monday when court reconvenes after a three-day recess, called to allow defense attorneys to attend a lawyers' conference.

In the early tapes, Sirhan's voice sounded slurred, often unintelligible. The defense has contended he was intoxicated. As the night wore on, he sounded far more relaxed and seemed to enjoy the officers' roundabout ways of trying to win his confidence.

Not once did Sirhan ask what he was charged with. But he worried about his ill-fitting clothes when it neared time for his arraignment.

"You look very presentable compared to when I first saw you," said Jordan. "You're clean, you're neat, your eyes are clear."

And soon after, appearing before a woman judge for arraignment, Sirhan says he learned for the first time that he was accused of shooting six people, including Sen. Robert F. Kennedy who died the next morning.

Development Group Seeks \$50,000

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Ozarks Regional Commission Thursday approved \$50,000 for a study aimed at encouraging industrial development in the Arkansas River Valley.

The study, to be conducted by the Army Engineers, will deal with the entire length of the Arkansas River, which is scheduled to be open for barge traffic in 1970.

A special task force will consider such topics as multiple land uses, planning and zoning, industrial potential and feasibility of selected industries, regulatory controls, transportation, power sources, scheduling

LEGAL NOTICE

WARNING ORDER

No. 9458 in the Chancery Court of Hempstead County, Ark. Dora Smead Dowling Plaintiffs, Ware Allen Dowling Defendant.

The defendant, Ware Allen Dowling warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff, Dora Smead Dowling.

Witness my hand and seal of said court this 5th day of March 1969.

JIM COLE, Clerk
March 7, 14, 21, 28, 1969

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HOPE NEWSPAPER HISTORY:
The 1929 consolidation joined the
two principal newspaper lines
dating back to within five years
of Hope's incorporation in 1875.

1899 — Star of Hope found-
ed as a weekly by Claude Mc-
Corkle; converted to an evening
daily by his son, Ed. McCorkle,
publishing until the 1929 con-
solidation.

The opposition line:
1880 — Hope News founded by
Lowry Brothers.

1883 — Sold to Withers & John-
son, name changed to Hope Tele-
graph.

1883 — Later in same year
resold to Claude McCorkle and
renamed Hope Mercury.

1884 — Sold to James H. Betts,
who named it Hope Gazette, under
which name it was published con-
tinuously until 1922, published by
Betts, J.L. Tullis, and Col. W.W.
Folsom the last-named dying in
1916.

1916 — Purkins & Gates bought
the weekly Gazette and made it
a companion paper to their new
daily, Arkansas Evening Herald
— but both papers suspended in
1922.

1926 — Plant was revived by
Curtis Cannon as the weekly
Hempstead Canyon Review.
1927 — Cannon sold plant to
D.A. Gean, who established the
morning Hope Daily Press.

1929 — C. E. Palmer and A.H.
Washburn consolidated The Star
and the Press as Hope Star, with
Palmer as president and Wash-
burn secretary-treasurer.

1957 — Following Mr. Pal-
mer's death Mrs. Palmer be-
came president.

1969 — With Mrs. Palmer's
retirement from Star Publish-
ing Co. Washburn became 76
per cent owner and president
— balance 24 per cent being held
by Texarkana Newspapers, Inc.

food well and, if you feel you
must belch, let it occur nat-
urally without any help from
you.

Q—In a recent column you
said it was possible for
spermis to reach the uterus
through contact with the vul-
va and cause pregnancy.
Could this happen from
sleeping in a man's bed or
bathing after a man had
used the tub?

A—No. The contact would
have to be more intimate
than that.

WANT AD RATES

All Want Ads are payable in
advance but will be accepted
over the telephone and accom-
modation accounts allowed with
the understanding the account
is payable when statement is
rendered.

Number One Four Six One
of Words Day Days Days Mo.
Up to 15 1.10 2.35 2.90 8.40
16 to 20 1.30 2.80 3.50 10.55
21 to 25 1.50 3.32 4.00 11.55
26 to 30 1.70 3.70 4.50 13.05
31 to 35 1.90 4.15 5.00 14.55
36 to 40 2.10 4.60 5.50 16.05
41 to 45 2.30 5.05 6.00 17.55
46 to 50 2.50 5.50 6.50 19.05

Initials of one or more letters,
group of figures as house or tele-
phone numbers count as one
word.

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY
1 Time— \$1.25 per inch per day
4 Times— \$1.10 per inch per day
6 Times— \$.95 per inch per day
STANDING CARD ADS
20.00 per inch per month.

Rates quoted above are for
consecutive insertions. Irregu-
lar or skip date ads will take
the one-day rate.

All daily classified adver-
tising copy will be accepted un-
til 4 p.m. for publication on the
following day.

The publisher reserves the
right to revise or edit all adver-
tisements offered for publica-
tion and to reject any objection-
able advertising submitted.

The Hope Star will not be re-
sponsible for errors in Want Ads
unless errors are called to our
attention after FIRST insertion
of ad and then or ONLY the
One incorrect insertion.
Phone 777-3431

1 Job Printing

PRINTING of Quality. Letter-
press or Offset. Call Yukon
3-2534 collect. ETTER PRINT-
ING COMPANY, Washington,
Ark.

BURKHART PRINTING CO., 114
South Walnut Street, Quality
Letterpress and Offset print-
ing of all types. Phone: 777-
6839.

2. Notice

INCOME TAX SERVICE, Reason-
able rates. Clifford Franks,
809 West 5th. Phone 777-2210.

15. Used Furniture

WALKER'S NEW & USED Furni-
ture, 777-6233, 213 S. Main.
Give highest prices for your
furniture. Will sell-trade-or
buy.

LUCK'S USED FURNITURE CO.
See me before buying or sell-
ing. H. E. Luck, 904 North
Hazel, 777-4381.

21. Used Cars

WANTED — USED CARS and
trucks. Cash paid. Harry
Phillips Used Cars, 1010
West 3rd. 777-2522.

WANTED — Late model used cars
and pickup trucks. Hope Volks-
wagen Inc. See James Gaines
or J.B. Ingram Jr. Phone:
777-5728 or 777-6100.

48. Slaughtering

CUSTOM Slaughtering Beef or
pork cut and wrapped for your
deep freeze. Contact BARRY'S
GROCERY, 777-4404.

RALPH MONTGOMERY Custom
Slaughtering. Meat for your
deep freeze. We buy cattle and
hogs.

63. Sewing

Machines

SINGER SALES & Service. Sing-
er machine repossessed.
Used by customer only seven
months. May be purchased at
reduced price, payments only
\$5.50 month. For information
contact the Fabric Center,
Hope, Arkansas. Phone: 777-
5313.

68. Services Offered

FEDERAL & STATE INCOME
Taxes filed, Mrs. Sue Talia-
ferro Gray, 777-2086 after 5
p.m. Monday-Saturday.

CALL WALKERS NEW AND
USED Furniture for commer-
cial refrigeration service and
air conditioning. 777-6233.

68. Services Offered

HEATING SYSTEMS, filters
and controls - need checking
now. . . before real cold weath-
er sets in. A-One Contract-
ors, 109 West Division. 777-
6614.

COMPLETE WELL SERVICE.
36 in. concrete tile, and deep
wells. For free estimate call
777-5285. Hope Drilling and
Water Well Co.

FOR INCOME TAX SERVICE,
See Dorsey Stringfellow, at
the H. & R. Block Income
Tax Service, 205 South Elm
Street.

SUE WALKER'S INCOME TAX
service located, 104 South
Walnut (cotton row). Open Mon-
day-through-Saturday. Phone:
777-6067 or 777-4680.

INCOME TAX SERVICE, reason-
able rates, 1022 East Shover.
Open after 4:00 and Saturdays.
Mrs. Thurman Ridling, phone:
777-4526.

73. Jewelers

FINEST WATCH & Jewelry re-
pair. All work guaranteed.
Party napkins for all occa-
sions, personalized, printed.
Stewart's Jewelry Store, 208
South Main.

80. Help Wanted Male

TRUCK STOP ATTENDANT. . .
top wages, 48 hour week. Uni-
forms furnished, paid vaca-
tion. Group Life and Hospital
Insurance. Apply in own hand
writing to: P. O. Box 430
Hope, Arkansas.

90. For Sale

MIXED LESPEDEZA and grass
hay. . . 50 cents at barn. Call
777-4911, Roy Fry.

THREE BEDROOM HOME, with
bath and a half, 614 West 16th.
Phone: 777-2460.

78. Business Opportunities

SMALL BUSINESS
For Sale
Opportunity for local man to
own and operate a small PEA-
NUT & CANDY route in Hope,
Spare Time. Good income start-
ing first week. Must have car
and able to devote 6 to 8 hours
each week to collecting & re-
stocking dispensers. Requires
\$888.00 Cash investment. Finan-
cial aid for expansion. For per-
sonal interview write TEXAS
KANDY COMPANY, INC., 1135
Basse Road, P.O. Box 6623, San
Antonio, Texas, include phone
number.

2. Notice

Due to relocation of local
agent, applications are now
being considered for . . .

M.F.A. Insurance Agency

For a personal interview
contact:
DOYLE WARRINGTON
3201 N. Robinson
Texarkana, Texas

84. Wanted

WANTED!

Someone to take
over Payments

1-Repossessed 21 cubic foot deep freezer,
1-Repossessed 12 cubic foot automatic defrost refrigerator,

GOOD YEAR SERVICE STORE

309 W. 3rd Street

777-5777

343-2tc

90. For Sale

NEW AND USED JEEPS. . . can
be seen at the G. and S. Manu-
facturing Company on West
Avenue B. Telephone 777-6714.
3-24f

1961 FALCON PANEL WAGON,
all new tires. Low mileage.
Call 777-5190.

QUARTER HORSE COLT, eight-
een months old. . . \$100.00.
Phone: 777-6202, evenings or
Sundays.

BROILER HOUSE in operation.
Modern three bedroom house.
Call 777-3672, Sleetie Monroe.

FARM . . . 50 ACRES, FORTY
cleared, ten in woods, fenced
and cross fenced. Two bed-
room modern house, large
barn, corrals, loading chute,
stock pond. Two wells-spring
fed creek, plenty of out build-
ings, garage and tool shed. All
weather road, near black top
road on school bus route.
Priced to sell \$14,000. Con-
tact L.W. LeFlore, Bodcaw,
Arkansas.

CLEANINGEST CARPET cleaner
you ever used, so easy too.
Get Blue Lustre. Rentelectric
shampooer \$1. Home Furni-
ture Co.

OLD HOUSE WITH three lots
in Emmet. . . \$2,500. Con-
tact J.W. Allwhite, 109 Water-
man, Texarkana, Texas.

50 ACRE FARM, TWO miles
South of Hope City limits, on
highway 29. . . by owner.

HAVOLINE OIL. . . 39 cents
quart, \$9.00 a case. Also
10W30, Delanays Grocery 777-
3701.

91. For Rent

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED
four room, bath, air condition-
ed apartment. Adults only. No
drinking, 300 Edgewood.

SMALL FURNISHED apartment
for working man. Bills paid.
Hutchen's Apartments. Phone:
777-5839.

94. Apartments Furnished

TWO ROOMS WITH private bath.
Call before 8 a.m. or after 6
p.m. 777-5270.

101. For Lease

FOR LEASE at HILLCREST and
IMPERIAL—1 and 2 bedroom
apartments. Central air condi-
tioning. Utilities paid. Some
furnished, \$100 up, 777-3363 or
777-6731. Also, fully equipped
EFFICIENCY Apartments a-
vailable by the week.

102. Real Estate For Sale

TWO-BED ROOM HOUSE and lot.
Also Duplex apartment. Reason-
ably priced for investment
or home. 777-6743.

107. Restaurants

SPECIAL MENU from 5-10 p.m.
on Tuesday-Seafood. . . \$1.75;
Wednesday-Filet Mignon. . .
\$2.75, or Ladies Filet. . . \$2.25
Thursdays-Spaghetti. . . \$1.25
and Fridays- Individual Cat-
fish, hush puppies and salad. .
\$1.75, Diamond Cafe, 233
South Elm.

102. Real Estate For Sale

HOUSE AND LOT FOR sale, at
102 West 16th Street. . . by
owner. Call: 777-5653.

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY,
ARKANSAS
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPROVAL OF PLANS AND
THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE OZAN CREEK WATER-
SHED PROJECT AREA OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY SOIL
AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT, HEMPSTEAD
COUNTY, ARKANSAS

NOTICE
All persons, firms or corporations own-
ing or claiming an interest in any of the
lands or parcels of lands hereinafter de-
scribed are hereby notified and warned that
a petition has been filed and is now pend-
ing in the Chancery Court of Hempstead
County, Arkansas, for the adoption of a pro-
posed improvement plan for said area, for
the construction, operation and maintenance
of works of improvement for the prevention
of erosion, flood waters and sediment dam-
age, which area is included within the
following described lands, all situated in
Hempstead County, Arkansas, to-wit:

Township 9 South, Range 23 West
That part of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ South of Little Missouri
River and that part of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ South of
Little Missouri River and S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and
S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, all in Section 19.
N $\frac{1}{2}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and
N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, all in Section 30.

Township 9 South, Range 24 West
All that part South of Little Missouri
River in Section 24.
All that part South of Little Missouri
River in Section 25.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$
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26.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 33.
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SW $\frac{1}{4}$, all in Section 34.
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and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, all in Section 35.
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Section 36.

Township 10 South, Range 24 West
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Section 5.

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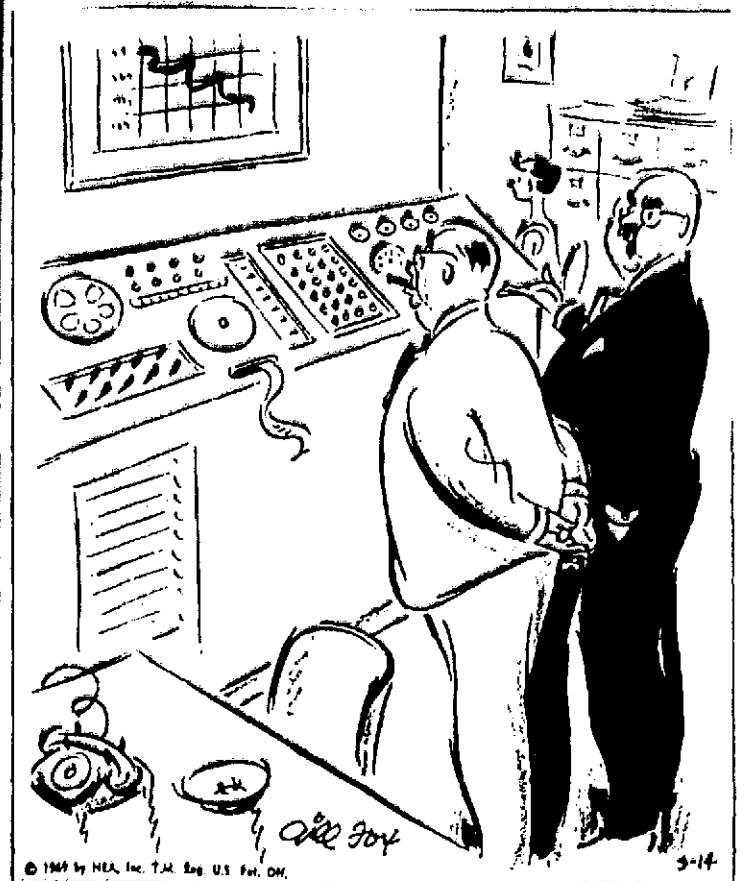
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SIDE GLANCES By GILL FOX



"Don't tell ME it's not a female computer! It's as temperamental as the women it replaced!"

CARNIVAL By DICK TURNER



"What I want to know is, what is Cuba doing just 90 miles away from our coast in the first place!"

FLASH GORDON By DAN BARRY



THE BORN LOSER

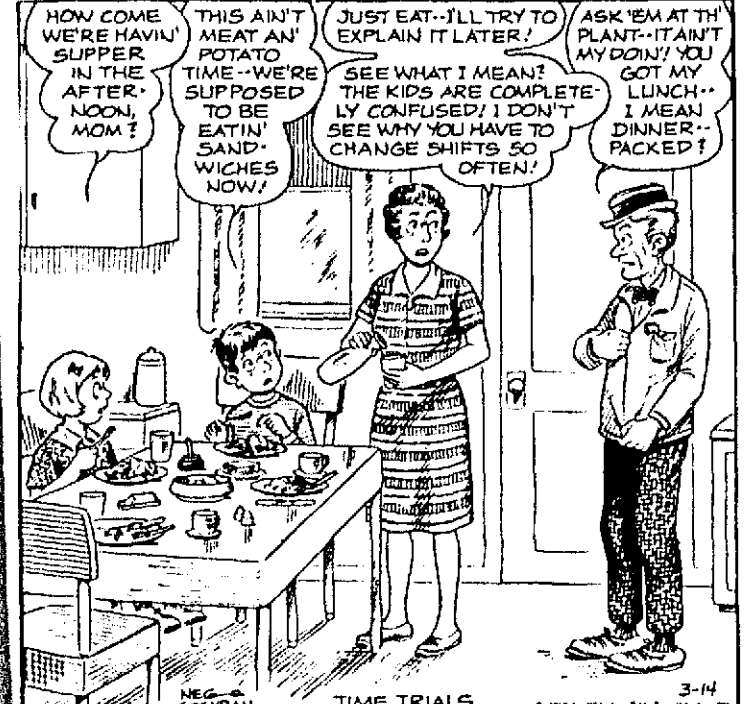


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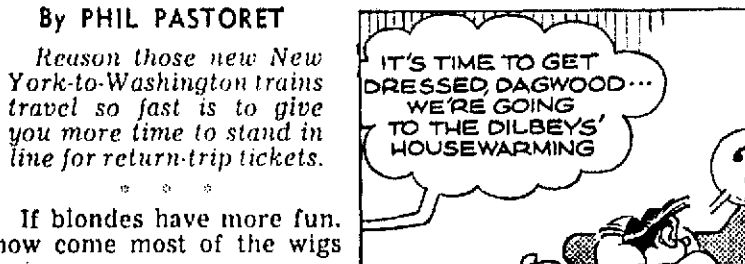
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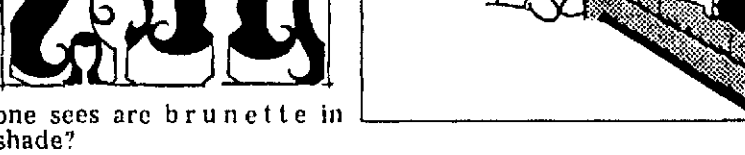
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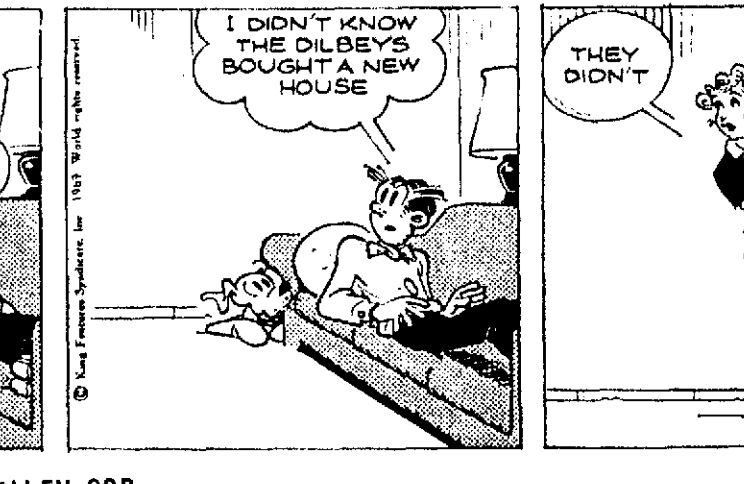


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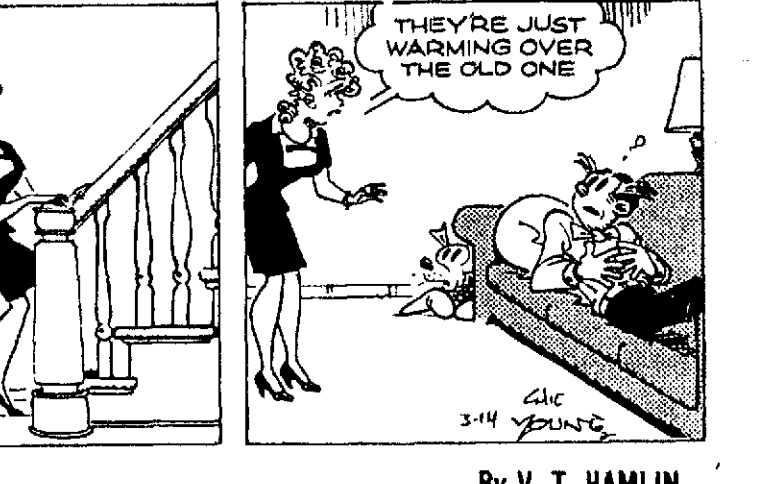
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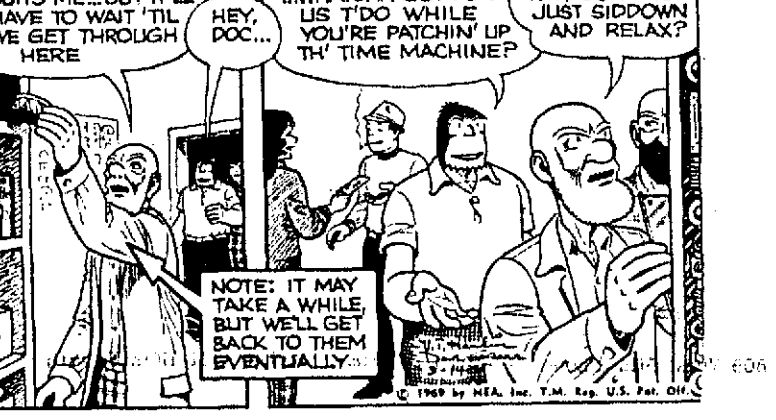
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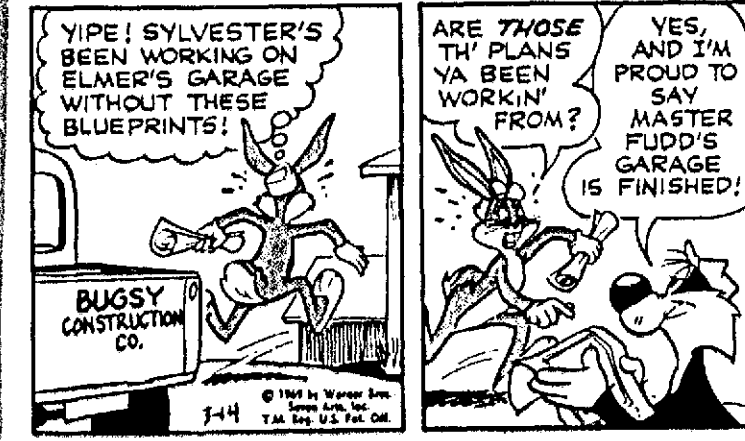
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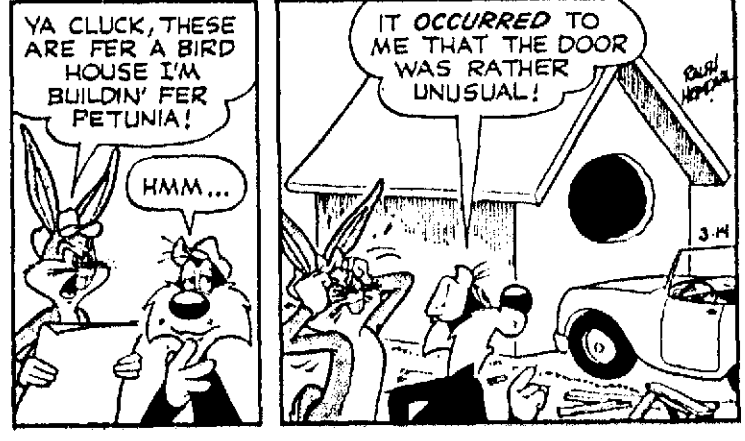
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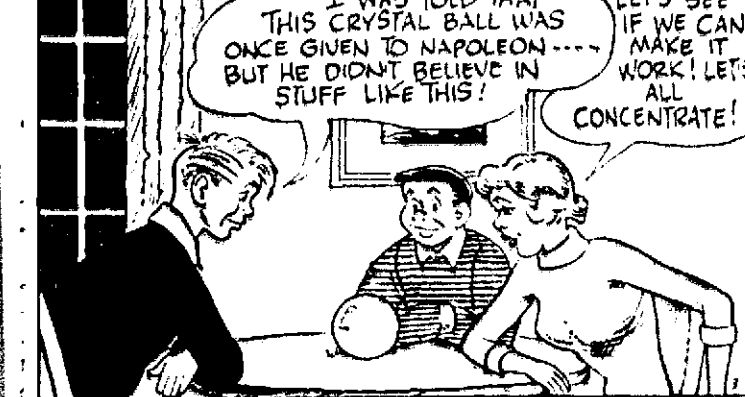
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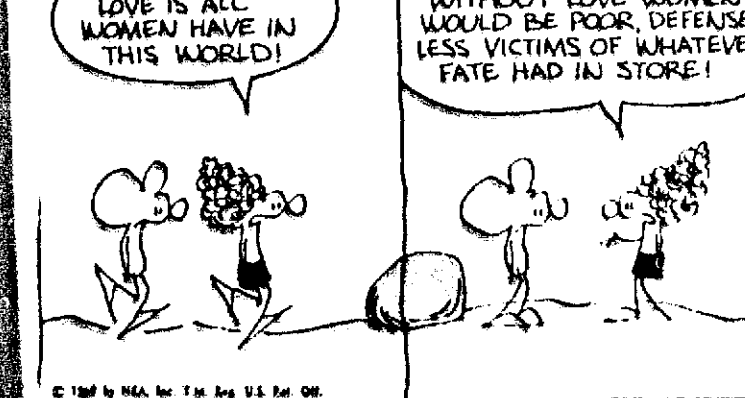
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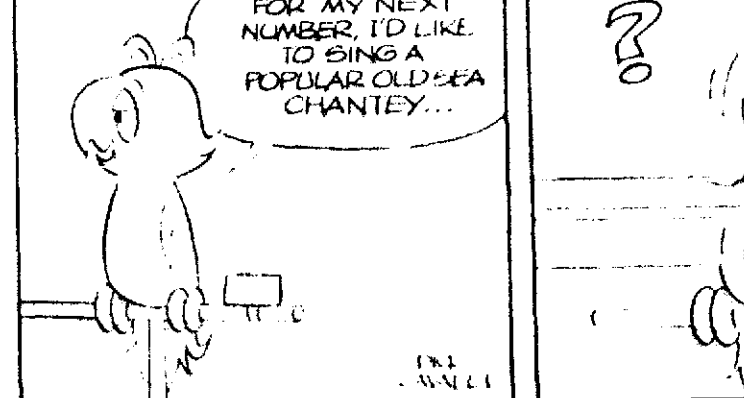
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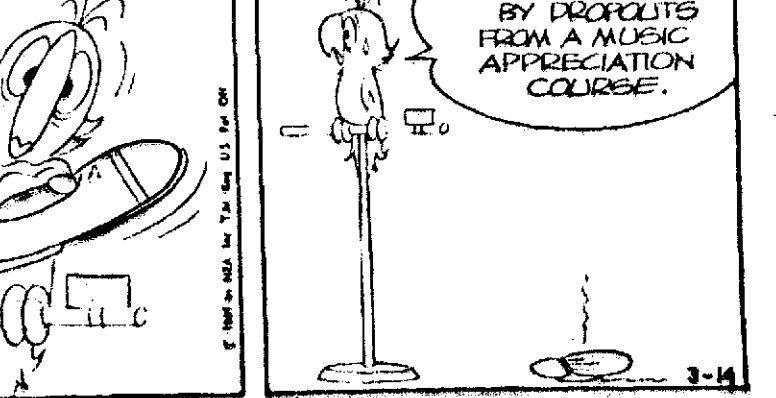
By HOMER SCHNEIDER



WINTHROP



By DICK CAVALLI



Church News

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1201 West Ave. B,
Thomas Simmons, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
Hervey Holt, Supt.
10:55 a.m. - Morning Worship
5:30 p.m. - Choir Practice
6:30 p.m. - Training Union
Gilbert Ross, Director
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY
11:30 a.m. - KXAR Weekday
Bible Study
MONDAY
7:30 p.m. - Men's Bible Study
TUESDAY
1:30 p.m. - Bible Study
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Teachers Meeting
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service
FRIDAY
8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Prayer Room

SHOVER SPRINGS MISSIONARY BAPTIST
Shover Springs, Ark.
Chester Bullock, Pastor
Howard Reece, S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S.
7:15 p.m. - Evening Worship
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. - First Tuesday night of each month Exa Fuller W.M.A. and Brotherhood meets.
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Mid-week Services

GOSPEL LIGHT HOUSE
Andres and Avenue C
Lacie Rowe, Pastor
SUNDAY
7:30 a.m. - Radio Broadcast
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
The Publis is invited.

DAVIS CHAPEL CHURCH
Wm. D. Bright, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Church School
12:00 a.m. - Worship Hour
Odessa Campbell, S.S. Supt.
Sister Jo Ellen Evans, Church Elder.

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
North Bell Street
Elder Jesse Graves, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Worship Service
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

EPHESUS PRIMITIVE BAPTIST
Eld. J.B. Browning, Pastor
Highway 67, Emmet, Ark.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Song Service, First Sunday
11:00 a.m. - Preaching Service, First Sunday
SATURDAY
2:00 p.m. - Preaching Service and Conference, First Saturday of the month.

GARRETT CHAPEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST
Second and Casey St.
Rev. G.L. Hughes, Minister
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School, Mrs. Emma Edwards, Supt.
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship
2:00 p.m. - Broadcast KXAR
6:00 p.m. - Baptist Training Union, Mr. Willie Brown, Director.
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
MONDAY
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Senior choir rehearsal and Usher Board meeting.
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Mid-Week Prayer Meeting
7:30 - 8 p.m. - Officers and Teachers meeting
THURSDAY
5:00 p.m. - Junior Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. - Young Women Auxiliary meeting.

LONOKE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Walter White, Pastor
Ella Roberson, Supt.
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
MONDAY
5:00 p.m. - Boys Club
TUESDAY
6:00 p.m. - Spiritlifters and Lonoleers
7:00 p.m. - Celestial Choir
8:00 p.m. - Imperial Choir

CHURCH OF CHRIST
5th and Grady Streets
David Nicholas, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Bible Classes for all ages
10:00 a.m. - Bible Classes for all ages
10:40 a.m. - Morning Worship
8:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
Mid Week Bible Study
7:00 p.m. - Classes for all ages open for discussion
You are welcome to all services.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
South Elm Street
J. G. Rushing, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
Leo Wood, Supt.
10:50 a.m. - Morning Worship
Sermon by the Pastor
3:00 p.m. - Service at the Hope Nursing Home, 2nd Sunday in each month.
7:00 p.m. - N.Y.P.S. Kenneth Smith, President.
7:30 p.m. - Evening Evangelistic Service - Sermon by the Pastor
TUESDAY
1:30 p.m. - Prayer and Fasting
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Midweek prayer meeting.

GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
300 North Ferguson Street
Clyde Johnson, Pastor
Ivy Mitchell, Music
Mrs. Wade Warren, Organist
Janice McClellan, Pianist
SUNDAY
9:00 a.m. - Rock of Ages
Broadcast over KXAR
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School Lyle Allen, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
Sermon by Pastor
6:00 p.m. - Training Service
Richard Hogue, President
7:00 p.m. - Worship Service
MONDAY
4:00 p.m. - G.A.'s every other
4:00 p.m. - G.A.'s
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Cora Mae Auxiliary
WEDNESDAY
2:00 p.m. - Senior WMA Meets
7:15 p.m. - Teachers Meeting
7:45 p.m. - Worship Service

BODCAW NO. 1 MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Bodcaw, Arkansas
Bro. Earl Ratliff, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Service

BODCAW NO. 2 BAPTIST CHURCH
Bodcaw, Ark.
Allison Brown, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - Training Service
7:15 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
2:00 p.m. - W.M.A.
7:00 p.m. - Service

MT ZION C.M.E. CHURCH
Rev. H.R. Dotts
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Mrs. Callie Boatner, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - Young People's meeting
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
MONDAY
3:30 p.m. - Missionary Circle No. 1 meets every first and third Monday. Stewardesses meet every second and fourth Monday.
WEDNESDAY
4:30 p.m. - Missionary Society, Mrs. Mamie Colbert, President.
7:00 p.m. - Teacher's Meeting
7:30 p.m. - Usher Board Meeting
Mrs. Daisy Muldrew, President
FRIDAY
7:00 p.m. - Steward's Meeting, T.J. Johnson, Chairman
Willing Workers Club, Mrs. Odessa Turner, President.
SATURDAY
6:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal
Willie Stuart, President

ROCKY MOUND BAPTIST CHURCH
Merlin Cox, Pastor
Floyd Pharris, S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:30 p.m. - B.T.S.
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Midweek Service
You are invited to worship with us.

ST. PAUL C.M.E. CHURCH
Washington, Arkansas
Sanford B. Tollette, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Church School
Prof. G. S. Williamson, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
Service
5:30 p.m. - C.Y.F., Mrs. Evelyn Williamson, Counselor,
Miss Wilma Cheatham, President
6:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

FORREST HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Hwy. 4 East, .9 miles
G.W. Hooten, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday Morning
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. - Training Service
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Okay, Arkansas
Stacy Thrasher, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Worship Service
6:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
6:30 p.m. - Prayer Service

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH
Highway 28 South
Elder Chester Daniels, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School,
Eugene Bobo, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S.
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
Every other Wednesday night after first and third Sunday, Brotherhood meeting and W.M.A.
7 p.m.
"Welcome to all services."

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Third and Elm Streets
SUNDAY
9:00 a.m. - Services
WEDNESDAY
8:00 p.m. - Services

LIBERTY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
W. L. Bazaar, Pastor
On California - off Rosston Road
Hwy. 4
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. - BTS
7:00 p.m. - Evening Service
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall, 1712 South Elm
Eugene Shuster, Minister
SUNDAY
3:00 p.m. - Week Watchtower Study
TUESDAY
8:00 p.m. - Bible Study from Book "Let Your Name Be Sanctified."
FRIDAY
7:30 p.m. - Theocratic Ministry school.
8:30 p.m. - Service Meeting

SOUTHSIDE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Lewisville Highway
Cay Polk, Pastor
Benson Foster, Music
Verdell Treece, Pianist
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
Kenneth Grant, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
Service
6:00 p.m. - Baptist Training Service
Alan Foster, President
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship Service
Ladies Auxiliary meets 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Monday nights,
Brotherhood meets 2nd and 4th Thursday nights.

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH
Spring Hill
Charles Jones, Pastor
James Yates, S. S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
Message - Pastor
Evening Service
6:30 p.m. - BTS
Message - Pastor
6:30 p.m. - Singing each 4th Sunday eve.
TUESDAY
4:00 p.m. - Galleans
4:00 p.m. - Junior GA
3:30 p.m. - Girls Auxiliary
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Mid-week Service

NEW HOPE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Washington Hwy. 3 Miles North
C. L. Roberts, Pastor
Thomas McKee, S. S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School,
Classes for all ages
10:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
with sermon by Pastor
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S. Mary Jane Hatfield, President
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Mid-week Services
FIRST AND THIRD THURSDAY
1:30 p.m. - W.M.A. Meeting

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH
Rev. J. E. Hughes, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
Mrs. L. M. Davis, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - A.C.E. League
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

OUR LADY OF GOOD HOPE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Third and Walker Streets
Rev. Joseph Enderlin
SUNDAY
8:30 a.m. - Sunday Mass
Sunday School immediately after Masses,
Sacred Heart Devotions on the first Friday of every month at 8:00 a.m.

NEW LIBERTY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Four Miles South of Emmet
Bro. Harold Martum, Pastor
Gordon Millner, S.S. Supt.
Preaching 1st and 3rd Sunday
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
Classes, Sermon by Pastor
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S.
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
Sermon by Pastor
THIRD SATURDAY
2:00 p.m. - Singing Hope Nursing Home
FIRST SUNDAYS
2:00 p.m. - Precious Memories Singing

SARDIS BAPTIST MISSIONARY CHURCH
8 Miles S. Patmos Rd.
Horace Cook, Pastor
B.V. Jester, S.S. Supt.
Meeting are 1st and 3rd Sundays
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship

PROVIDENCE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Four miles East of Hope on U.S. Hwy. 67.
Perrytown, Ark.
D. D. Fairchild, Pastor
Brice Thomas, Jr., Music
Mrs. Noel Warren, Pianist
SUNDAY
8:15 a.m. - "Voice of Calvary" Broadcast over KXAR
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship
James Vess, Superintendent
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. - Baptist Training Service, Singing every fourth Sunday evening.
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship Service
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Bible Study
7:45 p.m. - W.M.A. and Brotherhood meets every Second and Fourth Weeks.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
North Walker Street
Johnnie McGee, Minister
2nd and 4th Sundays
10:45 a.m. - Bible Class
2:00 p.m. - Preaching
7:00 p.m. - Bible Class each Friday
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

BELL'S CHAPLE NAZARENE CHURCH
Blevins, Arkansas
Rev. Wayne Bell, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - Sunday Night services
WEDNESDAY
6:30 p.m. - Mid-week Prayer Service

RISING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH
500 Oak Street
Rev. W.M. Martin, Pastor.
Mrs. J. H. Hart, Church Clerk
H.L. Washington, Finance Clerk
James West, Treasurer
Sunday
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School, Mrs. Nannie Washington, Supt.
10:50 a.m. - Prayer Service
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
Monday
3:30 p.m. - General Mission
6:00 p.m. - Junior Choir Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. - Gospel Choir Rehearsal
Tuesday
7:30 p.m. - Usher Board 2nd and 4th
Wednesday
7:30 p.m. - Bible Study & Prayer Meeting
Thursday
7:30 p.m. - Senior Choir Rehearsal
Friday
6:00 p.m. - Imperial Choir Rehearsal

SOUTHSIDE ASSEMBLY
1121 South Fulton Street
Hope, Arkansas
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
Howard Stevenson, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
Service
Sermon - By Pastor
5:00 p.m. - Southside Assembly Gospel Hour over Radio Station KXAR
6:30 p.m. - Youth Service
Buddy Stevenson, President
7:30 p.m. - Evangelistic Service - Sermon by Pastor
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Mid Week Service and Bible Study
FRIDAY
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service
Every Third Sunday, Gospel Service at the Hope Nursing Home at 3:00 p.m.
Every First Friday, Youth Rally, and every third Friday, fellowship, Telephone the church office for time and place.

POWERS MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Fulton Route 1
SUNDAY
10:15 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - Singing
6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship

SPRINGHILL METHODIST CHURCH
Spring Hill, Arkansas
Connie A. Robbins, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
OAK GROVE METHODIST
1 1/2 Miles East of Shover Springs
Connie A. Robbins, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. - Morning Worship
10:30 a.m. - Church School

BEE BEE MEMORIAL C.M.E.
Rev. S. B. Tollette, Pastor
Miss Mary Ogden, Organist
Fellowship Every first Sunday.
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. - Church School
Mrs. Annie Bell Yerger, Supt.
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - Young People 4th Sunday Meeting, Mrs. Mattie Sanders, C.
MONDAY
7:30 p.m. - Official Board Meeting
4:00 p.m. - Missionary Circle
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Usher Board Meeting, Mrs. Johnie Mae Young, President.

FRIST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Fourth & Ferguson St.
Rev. B. W. Lane, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. - Radio Broadcast
"Harvestime"
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
Rev. Evel Bearden, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Message by Pastor
7:00 p.m. - Evangelistic Service.
WEDNESDAY
2:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting
7:00 p.m. - Youth Service
7:30 p.m. - Bible teaching by Pastor
EVERYONE WELCOME

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Walnut Street
W.H. Peebles, Minister
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday school
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Mid-Week Bible Study

UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
5th & Hervey St.
Gordon Renshaw, Pastor
Shelly Cowling, Music Director
Mrs. Jack Brown, Pianist
SUNDAY
8:30 a.m. - Sunday School,
8:30 a.m. - Radio KXAR
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School,
George Hartsfield, Superintendent,
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship
5:00 p.m. - Youth Choir
6:00 p.m. - Training Service,
Jim Clark, Director
6:45 p.m. - Evening Worship
MONDAY
7:30 p.m. - Brotherhood (2nd, Monday)
7:30 p.m. - Nancy Courtney Circle (3rd, Monday)
3:45 p.m. - G.M.A. (2nd & 4th Monday)
TUESDAY
1:30 p.m. - La Trel Bateman Circle
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Teachers Meeting
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service
8:00 p.m. - Adult Choir
SATURDAY
3:00 p.m. - Galleans

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
North Main and Ave. B
Mrs. Jerry Hugh Garrett, Organist
Pete Shields Sunday School Supt.
Leon, Taylor, Lay-Minister
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
10:50 a.m. - Morning Worship
Service, Leon Taylor, Lay-Minister
5:00 p.m. - Vesper Service,
David Pearson, Minister
TUESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Pacesetters Class
monthly supper in the Fellowship hall
THURSDAY
7:30 p.m. - Choir Practice

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Hope, Arkansas
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. - Coffee hour
9:50 a.m. - Church School
Classes for all ages
Women's Classes - Mrs. Jim McKenzie in the chapel Mrs. Paul Rawson in the Choir left Men's Class - James Pilkinton
Young Couple's Class - Rev. Jim Sewell
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
Anthem: "Could Ye Not Watch With Me" (Stainer) Sermon: Rev. Jim Sewell
6:00 p.m. - Presbyterian Youth Fellowship The Young people's supper will be served by Mrs. Charlie Wilson.
MONDAY
7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir Practice
WEDNESDAY
3:45 p.m. - Junior Choir Practice.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
West 2nd at Pine
Rev. Everett M. Vinson, Pastor
Mrs. B.C. Hyatt, Organist
9:40 a.m. - Church School (all ages)
Al Graves, Jr., will teach the Century Bible Class
10:50 a.m. - Morning Worship Service
Anthem: "The Ten Commandments" - Snyder
Sermon: "The meaning of the Cross" - Pastor
4:45 p.m. - Youth Choir Practice in Mary-Martha Classroom
5:30 p.m. - UMY Groups will meet in Fellowship Hall
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship Service
Sermon: "The Power of God" - Pastor
MONDAY
7:30 p.m. - Wesleyan Service Guild No. 2 will meet in the Home of Mrs. Jamie Russell
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - The Chancel Choir will practice

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Pentecostal Temple
911 Bell Street
Elder O.N. Dennis, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
Mr. J.P. Dennis, Supt.
11:30 a.m. - Morning Worship
Pastoral Sundays 1st and 3rd Sundays
6:00 p.m. - Y.P.W.W. Mrs. Clara Walker, President
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
MONDAY
7:00 p.m. - H. and F. Mission
Mrs. Mary Smith, President
TUESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Worship Service
WEDNESDAY
4:30 p.m. - Junior Church, Mrs. Clara Walker, President
FRIDAY
7:00 p.m. - Worship service
Pastors Aid Comm.
SATURDAY
2:30 p.m. - Sun shine Band
Mrs. G.B. Garland, President.

MT. CANNAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Sherman and Beech St.
Rev. E. D. Lonnie, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
WEDNESDAY
3:00 p.m. - Home Mission
CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Elder L. C. Washington, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:30 a.m. - Sunday School,
Mrs. Emma Lee Releford, Supt.
12:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. - Y.P.W.W., Mrs. Lillie Kimble, President
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Service

GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
300 North Ferguson Street
Clyde Johnson, Pastor
Wade Warren, Music
Mrs. Wade Warren, Organist
Janice Lauterback, Pianist
SUNDAY
9:00 a.m. - Rock of Ages Broadcast over KXAR
9:50 a.m. - Sunday School, Lyle Allen, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
Sermon by Pastor
6:00 p.m. - Training Service
Don Webb, President
7:00 p.m. - Worship Service
MONDAY
4:00 p.m. - G.A.'s
TUESDAY
2:00 p.m. - Cora Mae Auxiliary

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
HOPE, ARKANSAS
Rev. Gerald W. Trussell, Pastor
Mr. Roy Chatham, Mln. Music-Ed.
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship
1:00 p.m. - Baptist Hour (KXAR)
4:30 p.m. - Youth Choir
5:45 p.m. - Training Union
7:00 p.m. - Evening worship - Evangelism Committee to meet following worship service
MONDAY
9:30 a.m. - Round Table Group
1:30 p.m. - Current Missions Group
7:30 p.m. - Ann Wollerman Group - home of Mrs. F.J. Burroughs, 921 West 4th.
WEDNESDAY
5:00 p.m. - Choirs (Grades 1-9)
6:00 p.m. - FAMILY SUPPER
6:30 p.m. - ALL AUXILIARIES
6:30 p.m. - Workers in Grades 4, 5, 6 Department meet with Bro. Trussell.
6:45 p.m. - Adult Sunday School Lesson
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Hour
8:20 p.m. - Adult Choir Rehearsal
THURSDAY
March 20
9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Church Visitation

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
322 N. Main
C.C. Trullit, pastor
SUNDAY
9:40 a.m. - Sunday school
T.C. Cranford, Supt.
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship.
Broadcast, KXAR
6:00 p.m. - Youth Service
6:00 p.m. - Choir Practice
7:00 p.m. - Southernairs Quartet
MONDAY
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting
TUESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Sunday School
Workers Conference.
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Bible Study & Prayer
THURSDAY
2:00 p.m. - Women's Missionary Council

Bucher Back to Court for Final Go

By RICHARD E. MEYER
Associated Press Writer
CORONADO, Calif. (AP) — For probably the last time, Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher goes again today before a Navy court of inquiry investigating the capture of the Pueblo by North Korea. After closing statements, the eight-week inquiry will be over, barring last-minute recall of witnesses.
Bucher, thin and silver-haired from his 11-month prison ordeal, could be recommended for Medal of Honor—or for court-martial, which could give him a "maximum sentence of two years in prison and dismissal from the Navy."
He has been warned by the court that he is suspected of violating a Navy regulation against giving up his intelligence ship and his men while he had the power to resist.
His 81 surviving crewmen also have been questioned intensively.
The five admirals on the court will write "findings of fact, opinions and recommendations" after deliberating several days. How or when they will be made public hasn't been determined.
The final days of questioning focused sharply on Bucher's decision to surrender the Pueblo without a fight. His main defense was a desire not to "start a war out there."
The Pueblo was seized Jan. 23, 1968, by North Korean gunboats which raked the vessel with cannon and machine-gun fire, wounding Bucher and several crewmen, one of them fatally.
In an interview, Lt. Les Osborne of the 11th Naval District Law Center outlined what actions the court of inquiry could recommend to Adm. John J. Hyland, commander of the Pacific Fleet.
Osborne said the court "can recommend any kind of laudatory action it deems appropriate, including a letter of commendation, early promotion . . . the sky's the limit."
On the other hand, he said, it could:

Ray-King Conspiracy Is Debated

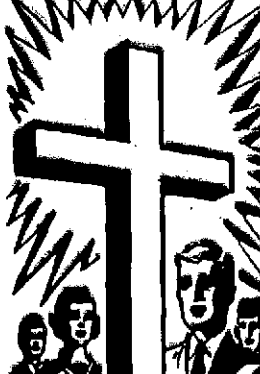
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Debate over whether the Martin Luther King assassination was the work of James Earl Ray alone or the result of a conspiracy is widespread and growing.
Those who say Ray conspired with others include King's widow and close associates, an attorney Ray fired, a brother of the assassin and, more or less indirectly, Ray himself.
Those who say only that there is no evidence to indicate a conspiracy include the judge and prosecutor in the case, Ray's official biographer and former U.S. Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark.
The only principal in the debate who has stated flatly that no conspiracy existed has been Percy Foreman, Ray's lawyer when the case ended. He put it this way in court in Memphis last Monday:
"It took me months to prove to myself...that it was not a conspiracy."
But Ray then stood up in court and said, without elaboration, that he personally did not agree with the theory that there was no conspiracy.
John Larry Ray, a brother of the killer, lined up on the side of the believers in a conspiracy in an interview printed in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch Thursday.
Ray quoted brother James as having told him:
"I am not the only one in on this 'deal' but it had been hushed up by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. I didn't press him on what he meant."
Coretta King, widow of the slain Negro leader, said after the trial the "search for the many fingers which pulled the trigger" should continue.
The Rev. Ralph David Abernathy, who succeeded King as president of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, pledged the organization's vigilance "until justice is meted out to all of the perpetrators."
The Rev. Andrew Young, SCLC executive vice president, said he thought Ray "was at most merely a tool or a pawn."

1. Recommend no action whatsoever.
2. Recommend a nonpunitive action such as investigations of outfitting armament, explosives to destroy secret materials or what to do when an intelligence ship is attacked.
3. Suggest a nonpunitive letter to Bucher or any crewman that "your action was found to be re-miss, but the nature of that failure in judgment did not violate regulations."
4. Recommend a punitive letter, or a letter of reprimand, or admonition, saying "your conduct was found to violate regulations."
5. Call for a court-martial.

Eds: court resumes 12:30 p.m. EST



NEW APPLICATION for an established principle may quadruple maple syrup production, according to Vern Folt, seen here watching sap flowing uphill through plastic tubing. Folt, a dairy equipment expert from Burton, Ohio, wondered why a vacuum pipeline system used in milking cows couldn't be applied to the gathering of maple sap. This year, he ran tubing from a compressor in the sugar shack to the trees and back. He reported great success and farm agents estimate the system could move more than 300 per cent more sap than previous methods.



God's Word Says Come



Come let us go into
the House of the Lord



"I Shall Keep This Lent"

"LENT" means springtime. It is an old Latin word which means a forty day fasting period next before Easter. It begins with Ash Wednesday and continues till Easter; exclusive of Sundays. It is a time for the conditioning of our soil . . . a time for our Souls to become penitent. It simply means that it is spading up time, the season for planting seeds and for setting blooming trees.

In the realm of the spirit it is a call to get ready for the season of beauty and goodness.

Who amongst us is satisfied with what he is or what he has been? Then let us qualify for the Lenten Season. Let us clear away the rubbish of last year's crop, cut under the old stalks. May we learn from our Lord to give ourselves to good conditioning during Lent. The miracle of Lent is genuine repentance which leads to Newness of Life. A Saintly Keeper of Lent said it well when he spoke the words, "I shall keep this Lent, and hope to refresh my Soul." Amen



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form a combination for good. Every man, woman and child needs the influence of the church. So, come let us go into the House of the Lord. Let us support her program of service to humanity. be a faithful worker, a daily bible reader and attend services regularly.

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Hunger Study in South Carolina
COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — The South Carolina legislature has ordered a study of hunger and malnutrition in the state.

The Senate concurred Thursday in a house resolution creating a special legislative-gubernatorial committee to make the study and report back at this legislative session.

Sen. Ernest F. Hollings, D-S.C., recently testified before a Senate committee in Washington that there is much hunger and malnutrition in South Carolina. After his testimony, a pro-

A local Chinchilla raiser, Paul Raley, is shown in the top photo with some of the hundreds of ribbons his animals have taken at various competitive shows in states in this area.

The bottom photo shows Mr. Raley, at right, being presented a ribbon by Herbert Johnson of the Oklahoma State Show.

In January at the Louisiana Tri State show at Bastrop, La., he showed animals which took eight ribbons, four first, two second and two third, also had two nine color champs, two reserve color champs, the grand show and reserve grand show champion.

At the Arkansas Branch Show, Little Rock, he took 12 animals, won 11 ribbons and one color title.

In the Texas Branch Show at

Fort Worth in February eight of his Chinchillas won seven ribbons, two first, three second, a fifth and honorable mention; two class champions, two reserve class champions, best female of the show, best male of the show and the grand show champion third place breeders award.

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— Bob Snodgrass photos

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Proposes U.S. Finance Return to Africa of All Willing Negroes

By JOHN S. LANG
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — A Negro congressman has proposed that the United States offer black Americans the chance to settle permanently in Africa through government financing — if they are willing to give up their citizenship.

Rep. Robert Nix, a Philadelphia Democrat, introduced the bill Thursday "on behalf of constituents," according to an aide who added, "The congressman personally disagrees with the purpose of it."

The proposal is one of many stretching back to the founding of the republic that would allow American Negroes to settle in Africa. None has ever had much success.

Nix's bill would have the United States buy land for each immigrant, provide free transportation, a house, health benefits and \$7,000 a year until permanently settled.

The stated purpose of the bill is to furnish development aid to Africa and to further "the interests and welfare of large numbers of persons of African descent in the United States who desire to repatriate and settle permanently in the independent African countries."

Workers in the room where bills are filed were startled by the measure. One said, "Only a Negro congressman could get away with it."

The Nix bill would authorize the President to negotiate through the State Department with African governments for landsites for the immigrants.

"The price of such landsites shall be paid by crediting the cost against foreign aid debts owing to the United States by the country from which such landsite is purchased," the bill said.

A Bureau of Repatriation would be established within the Interior Department to establish training programs for emigrants comparable to that given in the Peace Corps "particularly in Arabic, Hausa and Swahili languages and in the religion of Islam."

The bill also called for compensating the African states by

building bridges, dams for hydro-electric power, railroads, telephone and telegraph systems, draining marshlands, dredging harbors and defoliating jungles.

Other provisions of the bill include extending grants-in-aid totaling \$7,000 a year for each male head of household, \$5,000 for each female or spouse and \$2,000 a year for each child. The grants would extend not more than 10 years after settlement.

NUCLEAR PACT
(from page one)

disarmament pact of atomic age, the 1963 test ban treaty which outlawed all except underground nuclear explosions.

The test ban pact was ratified by virtually all countries except France and Red China. Those two went ahead with their own nuclear programs and also have refused to sign the nonproliferation treaty.

But there is a major difference in the potential impact of the two treaties which makes prospects for the new accord far more uncertain.

In the test ban treaty, only the nuclear signers were limiting themselves in a practical way because they were the only treaty countries which had been conducting atomic tests.

In signing the nonproliferation treaty, the nuclear powers are just confirming their existing policies against putting atomic weapons in the hands of others. It is the have-not countries who would be renouncing hopes for some day joining the nuclear club.

Thus a significant group of nations with technical ability to build nuclear arsenals are still debating whether to sign the nonproliferation treaty. They include West Germany, Japan, Israel and India.

The superpowers are particularly anxious to get such countries on the dotted line, for their main aim in the treaty is to prevent regional rivalries from developing into nuclear arms races which could ignite World War III.

The Negro Community

By ESTER HICKS
PHONE 777-4678 or 4474
LET'S REFLECT

The light of friendship is like the light of phosphorus, seen when all around is dark. — Selected from Apples of Gold.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
The Nelson Hill post No. 427 will observe the 50th anniversary of the American Legion to night at 7:30 at the City Park Youth Center. Speaker for the occasion will be Will V. Rutherford, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Will V. Rutherford, Sr., of the city.

The public is invited to attend. C.G. Carmichael, Post Commander.

Mrs. Mary Florence Shaw of Rte. 1 Hope, Arkansas passed away in a Texarkana hospital Sunday, March 9, 1969.

She is survived by her husband, Johnny Eugene Shaw; two children Otis Johnson of Houston, Texas and Mrs. Mattie Riddle, of Hot Springs, Arkansas; three grandchildren and two great grandchildren, one brother, Sam Woodfork of Texarkana, Arkansas.

Funeral service will be held Sunday, March 16th, at 10:00 a.m. at the Mt. Clear Baptist Church, Burial in Dooley Hill Cemetery.

\$1.1 Million Asked for Penal System

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Robert Sarver, commissioner of corrections, Thursday asked the Joint Budget Committee for \$1.1 million in general revenues for the 1970-71 fiscal year to help finance penitentiary operations.

The penitentiary presently is being financed by income from its farming operations, which have been averaging \$1.6 million a year. It also received \$200,000 from the governor's contingency earlier this year.

Sarver said most of the additional funds would be needed to hire guards for the establishment of an intermediate reformatory. He said it would not be feasible to attempt to operate the reformatory with trustys serving as guards.

The committee postponed action on Sarver's request.

The committee turned down a request by the state Labor Department for an additional \$56,000. The committee voted to approve the appropriation as recommended by the Legislative Council—\$241,934 in 1969-70 and \$245,934 in the 1970-71 fiscal year.

The committee also turned down a request from the Arkansas office of Economic Opportunity for \$20,000 a year to be matched with \$54,000 annually in federal funds, to finance two-week summer camps for underprivileged youth at Camp Robinson.

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What To Expect in
Year 2000

Chicago Convention Bureau speakers predicted that in the year 2000 computers will do the diagnosing for physicians.

Driver carelessness will be outmoded by automatic expressways. Planes will make vertical take-offs for intercontinental flights. Credit card banking will eliminate checks and cash. Every home will have a picture telephone.

It may take another millennium to avoid long waits in the doctor's office, create enough parking spaces, keep the planes on schedule, maintain an exact family bank balance, and prevent wrong phone numbers.—Columbia (S.C.) Record

The Brighter Side

Silver linings sometimes lie in the eye of the beholder rather than in surface appearances. Take, for example, the reaction of the Richmond News Leader to report that three gunmen had robbed a Health, Education and Welfare office in Washington of \$25,000.

"The taxpayers," said the News Leader, "still may be ahead. If the three culprits had enrolled in the Job Corps, they would have cost the government \$9,000 each, with little to show for it at the end of the year. This way, they save us \$2,000 and have \$25,000 in cash to start a self-help program of their own."—Columbia (S.C.) State

Out Of Line

If you think that the old saying about the left hand not knowing what the right hand is doing is a joke, consider the case of the misplaced highway bridge in Pennsylvania.

It has been discovered that a 600-foot bridge under construction near Pittsburgh is 13 feet out of line with connecting ramps and roadways. How did it happen? One firm drew up the plans for the bridge, another firm did the roadways.

A little coordination is a many splendored thing.—Dallas (Tex.) Times Herald

Short Story, In Print

In 1937 General James G. Harbord, chairman of the board of Radio Corporation of America, predicted that the printed newspaper would shortly disappear. In only a few years, people would get their news from a facsimile machine installed in the home.

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Now skip the next 20 years. In 1968 RCA announced plans to acquire the St. Regis Paper Co., a major producer of paper for the newspaper industry. Evidently RCA's actaries had changed their estimate of the life expectancy of the family newspaper. But last week St. Regis, having thought a little more about the merger, said, "No thank you. We prefer to go it alone."—Winston-Salem (N.C.) Journal

Bill to Let JPs Act in Small Counties

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller Thursday signed into law a bill which authorizes counties with populations of less than 6,000 to pay justices of the peace who bear a criminal cases out of general funds.

In the past, JPs have received fees from the persons they convicted by the state Supreme Court held recently that judges cannot have a pecuniary interest in convictions.

Rockefeller also signed a bill which authorizes counties to finance recreation facilities with revenue bonds. He allowed to go into law without his signature a bill which requires confiscated liquor to be turned over to mayors or county judges for sale.

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Nuclear Pact Approved by Senate

By LEWIS GULICK
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate ratification of the nuclear nonproliferation treaty has passed the next move in dampening down the arms race to the United States' would be partner in disarmament talks—the Soviet Union.

U.S. diplomats generally expected that Moscow would soon follow suit. The Kremlin does not have to tussle with a sometimes balky legislature in its ratification routine.

But some figured the Soviets might foot-drag a while, using the delay for such political purposes as pressuring the West Germans to join the treaty.

It takes ratification by all three original nuclear co-sponsors of the pact—the United States, the Soviet Union and Britain—to bring the treaty into force. Britain ratified last November.

Also, at least 40 other non-nuclear nations must ratify. Since the treaty was presented to the world last July 1, a total of 87 countries have signed and 10 have ratified.

A lopsided Senate vote of 83 to 15 in favor of the treaty Thursday climaxed an eight month U.S. delay caused by international tensions and domestic politics.

President Johnson sent the treaty to the Senate last July with a call for prompt ratification. The Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia in August induced many senators to go slow on the pact. President Nixon, then campaigning, favored a period of delay but resubmitted the treaty to the Senate after he took office.

Sen. J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., who floor-managed the treaty as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, beat back all amendments handily when the agreement did come up for debate.

The treaty carries two basic provisions: (1) nuclear nations pledge not to supply atomic arms to those who do not have them, and (2) the have-not countries agree not to acquire them.

It is a follow-up to the pioneer See NUCLEAR PACT (on page ten)

Opposition to Appointment of Walker

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The governor's office and several state senators said Thursday they have received numerous telephone calls and telegrams in opposition to the appointment of John W. Walker, a Little Rock Negro lawyer, to the state Board of Education.

A Few of the Million Remarks a Newspaper Man Tires of Hearing

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) — Remarks that a newspaper reporter gets tired of hearing: "Hi Scoop, what's new?" "I suppose you get a free pass to everything."

"I don't mind telling you confidentially, but naturally it's not for publication."

"Of course it's not a business you can expect to get rich in, but—"

"We need a cute feature for the arrival of spring next week. Scoop. How about going out and getting an interview with the first robin you see?"

"You must lead an exciting life—going to the best fires and everything like that."

"You don't look very busy, Scoop. How about picking up the phone and taking a three-line call?"

"Is you editor mad at you? I haven't seen your byline for three whole days."

"Do you have to take subscriptions on your days off?"

"I know you newspaper guys don't print half the stuff you really know. Tell me, what do you think we'll do next in Vietnam? And by the way, what's

GAO Recommends OEO Authority in Poverty Programs Be Stripped

By JEAN HELLER
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — An unpublished report by congressional investigators recommends that the Office of Economic Opportunity be stripped of its authority to coordinate anti-poverty programs and that the responsibility be assumed directly by the White House.

The General Accounting Office, auditing arm of Congress, concluded after a two year study that only a firm White House effort can bring order to

the multitude of anti-poverty and social welfare programs on which the federal government spends \$25 billion annually.

The 200-page report, tentatively scheduled by GAO for release next week, is being kept under tight security. But several Capitol Hill and federal agency officials who have been briefed on GAO's findings told The Associated Press Thursday that the document:

— Levels its sharpest criticism at shortcomings in the administration of OEO programs and the lack of coordination between those projects and the scores of similar programs now run by more than a dozen different agencies;

— Recommends wholesale changes in the apparatus of anti-poverty operations, leaving the Community Action Programs to OEO but transferring responsibility for all other programs to the White House.

— Recommends that OEO remain responsible for innovation, a sort of research and development role;

— Recommends sweeping changes for the much-criticized Job Corps;

— Recommends consolidation of manpower training programs;

— Calls for congressional review of apparent conflicts between community action groups

See GAO Recommends (on page two)

ABOARD THE USS GUADALCANAL (AP) — The Apollo 9 astronauts take to the air again today.

They are scheduled to fly off the deck of this carrier on the first leg of a trip that ends with their family reunions at Ellington Air Force base near Houston.

The crewmen, Air Force Col. James A. McDivitt and David R. Scott and civilian Russell L. Schweickart, go by helicopter to the Eleuthera Auxiliary Air Force base in the Bahamas. The spacemen will transfer to a Space Shuttle for a 60-minute flight to a refueling stop at Cape Kennedy. They'll leave there half an hour later and are expected at Ellington at 4 p.m. EST.

The space trio rode their Apollo command module to a pinpoint landing Thursday, splashing into a calm Atlantic 300 miles north of Puerto Rico within view of television cameras aboard this ship.

After more than six hours of medical tests a flight surgeon said they were in very good condition with no significant medical problems.

The spacemen emerged from sick bay shaven and neatly dressed in blue overalls and sneakers.

They walked to their heat-scattered spacecraft on the carrier deck and McDivitt said affectionately, "Good old Gumdrops," referring to the code name used for the module during the flight.

The astronauts were honored guests at a dinner of steak and baked potatoes in the ship's officers mess.

Later, they took part in the ceremonial cutting of a 350-pound cake prepared by the ship's cooks.

While the astronauts rested and got accustomed to the gravity of earth, Space Agency officials said.

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Enemy on the Attack at DMZ Edge

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer
SAIGON (AP) — North Vietnamese troops attacked twice along the southern edge of the demilitarized zone Thursday, killing 18 South Vietnamese soldiers and six U.S. Marines, according to battlefield reports received today.

The first attack occurred before dawn when 400 enemy troops stormed a South Vietnamese outpost with machine guns and small arms and killed or wounded nearly half of the 150 defenders.

Field reports said 18 government soldiers were killed and 55 were wounded. Only four enemy soldiers were known to have been killed. The attack took place near Gio Linh, near the eastern end of the DMZ.

Later Thursday about 18 miles to the west, a U.S. Marine patrol from the 4th Regiment clashed with North Vietnamese forces in a day-long battle. Six Marines were killed, 25 were wounded, and U.S. headquarters said enemy losses were not known.

The North Vietnamese opened up on the patrol with mortars and machine guns four miles northwest of an artillery base called the Rockpile.

The fighting raged at close quarters with the North Vietnamese lobbing hand grenades at the Leathernecks, but helicopter gunships and artillery finally drove the attackers off.

Nixon said the Communists, not his administration, stepped up combat in Vietnam. He said any escalation of the war "has been the responsibility of the enemy."

"If the enemy de-escalates its attacks, ours will go down," he said.

His possible response to the Communist offensive was the first question raised at the news conference, and Nixon, in reply, recalled that his March 4 statement was widely interpreted as a warning against continuing assaults on cities and bases.

"It would be my policy as President to issue a warning only once, and I will not repeat it now," Nixon said. "Anything in the future that is done will be done, and there will be no repeated warning."

At the same time, Nixon said he believes there is "significant progress being made" toward private talks aimed at settlement of the conflict.

"I trust there will be private talks," he said, "I think that's where this war will be settled, in private rather than in public."

War Victim

WASHINGTON (AP) — Army Sgt. Johnny P. Grisson, husband of Ola D. Grisson of Little Rock, has been killed in action in Vietnam, the Defense Department said Thursday.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon announced today approval of a "new concept" of missile defense aimed primarily at protecting American missile bases, rather than cities, against nuclear attack.

Announcing his decision in a statement for his noon news conference, Nixon said plans will be shifted to provide more protection for American missile facilities and less than originally envisioned for cities.

"Although every instinct motivates me to provide the American people with complete protection against a major nuclear attack," Nixon said, "it is not now within our power to do so."

But he added: "The safety of our country requires that we should proceed now with the development and construction of the new system in a carefully phased program."

"The Sentinel system approved by the previous administration provided more capabilities for the defense cities than the program I am recommending," Nixon stated, "But it did not provide protection against some threats to our retaliatory forces which have developed subsequently."

Nixon summoned Republican and Democratic congressional leaders for a briefing on the first major decision of his young administration before unveiling it to the nation at a televised noon news conference.

Underlining the importance of a move that could wreck his relations with the Democratic-controlled Congress, Nixon left a White House reception early Thursday night saying he had some "homework" to do.

Earlier in the day the chief executive met with Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird, a supporter of ABM deployment who said this week he expected Nixon to go ahead with a somewhat altered system.

For the President, the news conference climaxed 10 days intensive review and mounting pressure to scrap the \$5.5-billion legacy from Lyndon Johnson which critics fear will escalate the arms race and wind up costing billions more while domestic programs lag.

Shot to Death

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
MANILA, Ark. (AP) — Police said Thursday Melvin McCain, 21, of Manila was shot to death accidentally in the living room of his home when a .38-caliber pistol discharged.

Deputy Sheriff Lee Baker said the pistol discharged when McCain was putting it up after he and his uncle had been examining several weapons.

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